WEATHER

Thunder showers Tuesday. Wednesday partly cloudy.

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BLOODY BATTLES IN VERDUN REGION AND SOUTH TYROL

Italians Holding Austrians in Check and Inflicting Heavy Losses Upon Them.

GERMANS MAKE A GAIN

They Capture About 300 Metres of French Trenches Northwest of Village of Cumieres.

The Verdun region and Southern Tyrol continue the theatres where the most sanguinary battles are taking place. While the Italians are holding back the Austrians from further advances and inflicting heavy losses on them in counter attacks in Tyrol, their German allies have been able to make another gain in the capture of about three hundred metres of French trenches northwest of the village of Cumieres on the left bank of the Meuse, near Verdun.

Fighting of great intensity has been in progress around Hill 304, and between Le Mort Homme and Cumieres, but except near Cumieres all the Germans' vicious onslaughts were set at naught by the vigorous counter offensives of the French.

The sectors east and west of Fort Douaumont, northeast of Verdun, have witnessed still another violent artillery duel, but no infantry attacks were launched. The artillery of both sides has been busy along the remainder of the front in France and Belgium.

In Tyrol the Austrians in the La-Garina valley and south of the Posina Torrent threw heavy assaults against the Italian positions, but the Italians repulsed the attackers with considerable losses. On the Asiago plateau the men of two batteries which were surrounded on Mont Mosciag by the Austrians were relieved by an Italian regiment and their guns brought safely away.

Except for a report from Petrograd that the Germans have repeatedly bombarded the railway line to the east of Riga, no operation of moment has taken place on the Russian front.

Minor successes have been obtained by the Russians over the Turks in the Rivandouza region of the Caucasus front.

Nothing new has come through with regard to the maneuvers of the Bulgars in Greek Macedonia, where important events are expected because of the Bulgarian advance into Greek territory.

Since the commencement of the war, 550 persons have been killed and 1,616 injured in the British Isles by German attacks by sea and air, according to a statement made in Parliament by the British home secretary.

BULGARS' INVASION STIRS GRAVE TROUBLE IN GREECE.

Paris, May 29.—A news dispatch from Athens says that grave trouble has broken out there following the

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ELECTION ABSORBS WOMEN'S ATTENTION

Many of Illinois Delegation Said to be Pledged to Mrs. Cowles Expected to Bolt.

SOUTHERN WOMEN SHIFT

Only Two Candidates Officially Reported for President of General Federation—Mrs. Reilley Has No Opposition.

New York, May 29.—The election of officers, although two days off, and the report tomorrow of the nominating committee, absorbed the attention tonight of the 10,000 delegates, alternates and visitors attending the 13th biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in session here.

Although it is unofficially reported that Mrs. Josiah Cowles, of California, and Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath, of Ohio, will be reported as the only candidates for the presidency, it is expected that a large number of the Illinois delegation, said to be pledged to Mrs. Cowles, will bolt, and propose as the State's candidate Mrs. George Bass, of Chicago. Mrs. Bass has announced that she will permit her name to come before the convention.

Delegates from most of the Southern states, heretofore claimed by Mrs. Sneath's supporters, insisted tonight that there had been a sudden shift to Mrs. Cowles because of rumors circulated regarding Mrs. Sneath's alleged intention of permitting the Federated Negro Women's Clubs of the South to join the federation. Both Mrs. Sneath and Mrs. Cowles issued statements that the negro question plays no part in the campaign.

There will be no contests for the other offices, a member of the board of directors said tonight, except for that of auditor, to which Mrs. William P. Harper, of Seattle, and Mrs. Sarah Evans, of Portland, Ore., aspire.

No Opposition to Mrs. Reilley.

Miss Georgie A. Bacon, of Worcester, is as yet unopposed for first vice-president, and will be succeeded as second vice-president by Mrs. Eugene J. Reilly, of Charlotte, N. C., without opposition. Mrs. Reilly is the present recording secretary, and it is expected she will be succeeded by Mrs. John D. Sherman, of Chicago. Mrs. William B. Williams, of Lapeer, Mich., is expected to succeed herself as treasurer.

At the business session today a motion was defeated to eliminate the word "woman's" from the corporate name of the Federation, in order to facilitate the entrance of men's clubs into the Federation. Resolutions calling for the discontinuance of the offices of secretary, Federation secretary and foreign correspondent, were lost.

Mrs. Emma Kipp Edwards, chairman of the supply committee, announced tonight that to date the delegates requisitioned 100,000 hairpins, 1,000 drinking cups, 600 hat pins, and 300 packages of face powder, all of which were especially provided for the use of the delegates.

RIVER AND HARBOR MEASURE IS PASSED

WASHINGTON, D. C. LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Bill Carrying Appropriations of $43,000,000 Goes to Conference of Two Houses.

KENYON FIGHT DIES HARD

Republican Senator Predicts it Will Be Last Bill of Kind to Pass a Congress—$30,000,000 Substitute Voted Down.

Washington, May 29.—The Senate today passed the Rivers and Harbors Appropriation bill, carrying approximately $43,000,000, by a vote of 35 to 32 after adding many amendments. The bill will now go to a conference of the two houses.

The fight against it, begun by Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, and Senator Sherman, of Illinois, gained strength until a final effort to displace it with a substitute appropriating a lump sum of $30,000,000 was defeated by only one vote. Senators Ashurst, Gore, Hollis, Husting, Lane, Newlands, Pittman, Pomerene, Taggart, Thomas and Thompson, all Democrats, voted with the Republicans to send the bill back to the committee.

Just before the final vote was taken Senator Kenyon predicted it would be the last of its kind to pass an American Congress.

"You are voting at least $20,000,000 into this bill that is absolutely unjustifiable," said Senator Kenyon. "You are dumping thousands of dollars in streams where commerce is rapidly disappearing and into streams with less than a foot of water in them and into streams that you could not recognize as such when you crossed them.

"You have had an opportunity to correct some of these abuses but you would not. Your motto is 'let the people squeal.' I have done my best and I want to say that if the price of holding my seat in the Senate is to vote for bills of this kind, the seat may go, for my usefulness to my constituents in that event is ended. Some day a Congress will be here which will not consider that the greatest statesman is the man who can get the greatest amount of money out of the Federal Treasury.

"It is a pity that the whole blame for this extravagance must not rest upon the Democratic party because the bill never could be passed without Republican votes. There are patriotic statesmen on the Democratic side of the chamber, too, who fought hard for economy in this legislation."

The Line-up Against.

Nine Democratic and twenty-three Republican Senators voted against the bill. They were:

Democrats: Ashurst, Gore, Hollis, Husting, Newlands, Pomerene, Shafroth, Taggart and Thompson.

Republicans: Borah, Brady, Clark, Wyoming, Cummins, Curtis, Dillingham, Fall, Gallinger, Harding, Jones, Kenyon, LaFollette, Lippitt, Lodge, Norris, Page, Smoot, Sutherland, Townsend, Wadsworth, Warren, Weeks and Works.

Senators Tillman and Thomas, Democrats, sought to cast negative votes but could not transfer their pairs.

Seven Republicans voting for the bill were Senators, Brandegee, McLean, Nelson, Oliver, Poindexter, Smith, of Michigan and Stirling.

The bill as it passed the House car-

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"Ecce Homo"

HILL'S FUNERAL TO BE RATHER PRIVATE

Pioneer Railroad Builder and Financier Died at Minnesota Home Yesterday Morning.

HIS CAREER METEORIC ONE

Body of the Discoverer of "the World's Breadbasket" to Be Placed in a Private Mausoleum at Country Home This Afternoon.

St. Paul, Minn., May 29.—The funeral of James J. Hill, pioneer railroad builder an dfinancier, who died at 9:35 o'clock this morning, will be held at his home at 2 p. m. Wednesday, members of his family announced tonight. Interment will be in a private mausoleum to be erected at North Oaks Farm, five miles northeast of St. Paul, the summer home of the empire builder.

Mr. Hill's death was caused by an infection due to bowel trouble, his physicians stated today. Following an operation performed Sunday afternoon he sank rapidly and his extreme age, 78 years, militated against recovery.

The public will not have an opportunity formally to pay tribute to the leading citizen of the Northwest, but Mr. Hill's associates and the faithful employes will be admitted to the house to view the body before the funeral services. The general offices of the Great Northern Railway and the First National Bank and Northwest Trust Company will be closed Wednesday.

Telegrams poured in this afternoon from all parts of the country with expressions of condolence. A constant stream of family friends called at the home and at the residence of Louis W. Hill, next door.

Family Issues Statement.

The family statement was as follows:

"Mr. Hill passed away very peacefully after several hours of unconsciousness. All the members of the immediate family were present except one daughter, Mrs. Anson Beard, who will arrive tonight, and one grandson, James N. B. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hill, who will arrive from Cambridge tomorrow.

"Vicar General Gibbons attended Mr. Hill during his last hours and will officiate at the funeral services at the house and also at the grave. The public services will be held at the residence, 240 Summit avenue, 2 p. m. Wednesday. Interment will be in private at North Oaks where a family mausoleum or memorial chapel will probably be built.

"Following the simplicity which the family know would be the desire of Mr. Hill, the request is made that no flowers or floral offerings be sent to the house. Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the residence an opportunity will be given the veteran employes and the other employes of the Great Northern Railroad Company to pay their respects and take a last farewel of their old employer."

The active pallbearers will be: M. R. Brown, Ralph Budd, Charles W. Gordon, J. M. Gruber, P. L. Howe, W. P. Kenney, Charles Maitland, George Macpherson, Theodore Schultz and C. L. Toomey.

The honorary pallbearers will be announced later.

Probably Worth $250,000,000.

Mr. Hill's wealth is estimated at from $100,000,000 to $500,000,000. He was probably worth between $200,000,000 and $250,000,000. He had the absolute control of the First National Bank and Northwestern Trust Company, which have a combined capital and surplus of $6,500,000. Mr. Hill was a large holder of stock in the Chase National Bank, of New York; First National Bank, of Chicago, and the Northwestern National Bank, of Minneapolis. He was a large owner of the Great Northern Pacific Steamship Company.

The greatest portion of Mr. Hill's wealth, however, was in the stocks and bonds of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroads.

The executors of Mr. Hill's estate probably will be Louis W. Hill, his son, and the Northwestern Trust Company.

The great power held by Mr. Hill will pass to his son, Louis, who has been closely associated with him in business for ten years.

James N. Hill, the oldest son, is a director of the Texas Company, and has made a big fortune in New York. Walter, the youngest son, has big farm holdings in Kittson county, Minnesota, where he spends the most of his time.

It is believed that Mr. Hill's vast estate will be held intact through the Northwestern Trust Company, and that the various heirs will be given life interests.

Family Circle Completed.

Mrs. Anson McCook Beard, of New York, the only one of the nine surviving children not at his bedside when he died, arrived here tonight on a special train.

That control of the First National Bank of St. Paul passed from Mr. Hill to his son, Louis W. Hill, two weeks ago, became known today. Mr. Hill is understood to have told his son that he was more responsible for its rapid growth and development than any other person, and that his son was entiled to the reward of his efforts.

All traffic on Hill roads and all boats of the Hill lines will be stopped for five minutes from 2 P. M. until five minutes after 2 P. M., Wednesday, in tribute to the dead.

Story of His Achievement.

James J. Hill discovered "the breadbasket of the world" in the Great Northwest; he led in its development from a wilderness into what now comprises six wealthy states dotted with 400,000 farms; and he blazed a trail for transportation which reached eventually from Buffalo to Asia, with a total mileage of rail and steamship fa-

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CARRANZA'S NOTE FAILS TO ARRIVE

Manuel Mendez Reaches Washington, But Declares He Knows Nothing of Communication.

OFFICIALS ARE MYSTIFIED

Note Was Confidently Expected Yesterday, in View of Repeated Reports—Various Rumors from Mexico Are Current.

Washington, May 29.—State Department officials were somewhat mystified today over the failure of the new note from General Carranza to reach the department or the Mexican embassy. The department's advices indicated that it was to be expected yesterday.

Manuel Mendez, who is supposed to be acting as special messenger, arrived here today, but declared he had no knowledge of the note whatever, and merely had come to Washington on a vacation. Eliseo Arredondo, the Mexican ambassador designate, with whom Manuel Mendez, the visitor, conferred, said that none of his messages from the foreign office contained any mention of a new note.

Word that the note was coming and that it probably would renew the suggestion that American troops be withdrawn from Mexico reached the department last week. Later dispatches from Mexico City said the Carranza government was taking precautions to guard against premature publication of the note and that nothing concerning its contents would be revealed until it had been presented in Washington. De facto officials were quoted as saying they expected it to be handed to Secretary Lansing today.

Mr. Arredondo made no appointment at the State Department today and as tomorrow is a holiday it is certain the note will not be presented until Wednesday, should it arrive tonight or tomorrow.

Oil Operators Protest.

The protest of 84 American oil operators in the Tampico region against decrees of the de facto government affecting their work is still awaiting consideration at the State Department. Rumors transmitted by the border military commanders as matters of informtaion for the War Department said 22,000 Carranza troops were mobilized near Chihuahua City. Officers here showed little interest in this report, General Scott's comment being that General Trevino appeared to be acting in accordance with the Scott-Obregon understanding.

Another rumor transmitted said Mexico City papers quoted General Luis Herrera as saying he was ready to attack the Americans if they did not withdraw from Mexico before June 1.

FEEDING MASSES IN LARGE CITIES FROM CENTRAL KITCHEN

Solution of Problem Reached by German Government.

Berlin, via London, May 29.—Feeding the masses of the population in the larger cities by means of central kitchens under municipal auspices is the solution selected by the government to meet the problem of the food supply and distribution during the period of the war. The president of the food regulation board, Adolph von Batocki, announced to the ways and means committee of the Reichstag today that an appropriation bill for funds to assist the municipalities to organize and operate the kitchens would be immediately submitted to the Reichstag.

The municipality of Schoeneberg, the second largest Berlin suburb, has already arranged to feed 30,000 persons in such institutions. A similar organization for Berlin was called into life at a conference today, which was notable for the presence of two women, Frau Hedwig Heyle and Fraulein Landsborg, among the members of the conference.

ROOSEVELT FIRST TO PITCH A TENT

Headquarters Opened in Chicago, VonL. Meyer is Expected to Take Charge Today.

HITCHCOCK HAS A PLAN

To Have Alabama Give Way to New York, So Hughes' Name May be Presented First—That's Where Fight Starts.

Chicago, May 29.—Republican Roosevelt headquarters were opened today in Chicago by Herbert Satterlee and Lawrence Graham, of New York, and active work getting delegate votes for the candidate begun. The headquarters were opened several hours before Colonel Roosevelt arrived here en route to Kansas City, where he is to deliver an address tomorrow. George Von L. Meyer, former Secretary of the Navy, is expected in Chicago tomorrow to assume charge of the pre-convention campaign for Roosevelt.

Indications are that the plan of Frank H. Hitchcock to have the name of Charles E. Hughes presented to the Republican National convention as the first candidate may result in an interesting fight between the Root, Roosevelt and Hughes friends. Hitchcock's arrangement is that when the roll of states is called in alphabetical order to make nominations for president, to have Alabama, the first on the list, yield in favor of New York so that Hughes may have the advantage of having his name presented first.

When friends of former Senator Elihu Root and Mr. Roosevelt learned of this plan, they declared they would attempt to get recognition from the chairman to present the name of their candidate before that of Justice Hughes. They said that the chairman of the convention would be obliged to settle the dispute at the time it arises.

A Woman to Appear.

Alice Hill Chittenden, of the New York State Anti-National Woman Suffrage Association, has notified Chairman Hilles, of the Republican National Committee, that she will appear before the convention committee on resolutions to oppose insertion in the Republican platform of a National woman suffrage plank.

A stir has been caused in local female circles by the fact that two separate meetings, one by the National Woman Suffrage Association and the other by the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, will be held during the Republican convention. Members of the latter organization fear confusion will result and some expressed today the opinion that the calling of the meeting of the National association will result in adoption of resolutions expressing disapproval of the policies of the union.

Chairman Hilles has been advised that the six delegates representing Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines, who, under the reapportionment of delegates adopted by the Republican National committee in 1913, are given seats in the convention without votes, will make a determined fight before the credentials committee for the right to vote.

Senator Weeks, of Massachusetts, will arrive tomorrow to remain until after the convention. Campaign quarters for Senator Sherman, of Illinois;

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at 11 a. m.

Annual River and Harbor Appropriation bill, carrying $43,000,000, was passed by 35 to 32.

Commerce subcommittee heard protests against shipping bill.

Adjourned at 4:40 p. m. to noon Tuesday.

HOUSE

Met at 11 a. m.

Continued discussion of Naval bill.

Ways and Means committee Democrats considered Revenue measure.

Adjourned 8:05 p. m. to 11 a. m. Tuesday.

PRAISES WORK OF FRENCH AT VERDUN

General Haig Reviews in Detail Actions in Which English Have Taken Part in West.

SINCE LAST DECEMBER

Commander of British Forces in France and Belgium Gives Account of Their Service Under His Command.

London, May 29.—General Sir Douglas Haig, commander of the British forces in France and Belgium, in a dispatch covering the operations of the British army in that territory from December 19, last, when he took over the command, until May 19, pays high praise to the French defense of Verdun and reviews in detail the actions in which the British have taken part.

"During this period," he says, "the only offensive effort made by the enemy on a great scale was directed against our French allies near Verdun. The fighting in that area has been prolonged and severe. The results have been worthy of the traditions of the French army and of great service to the cause of the Allies. The efforts made by the enemy have caused him severe losses both in men and in prestige and he has made these sacrifices without gaining any advantage to counterbalance them.

"During this struggle my troops have been in readiness to co-operate as they might be needed, but the oonly assistance asked for by our allies was of an indirect nature, namely, the relief of the French troops on a portion of their defensive front. This relief I was glad to be able to afford."

Struggle Continuous.

While no action comparable with that at Verdun has been fought on the British front, General Haig says the struggle has been continuous and that there have been many sharp local actions. The maintenance and repair of the trenches alone entailed constant and heavy work. He speaks of the continual activity of the artillery, infantry, airmen and sappers and miners and adds:

"Ever present threats cause a more constant strain than any other form of warfare."

There were 60 local actions during the period under review, some of which, says General Haig, "although individually insignificant in a war on such an immense scale, would have been considered worthy of a separate dispatch under dicerent conditions."

The British commander makes special mention of raids, or "cutting out parties" which have been made at least two or three times a week against the enemy lines.

Praises His Troops.

"They consist," he says, "of a brief attack with some special object on a section of the opposing trenches and are usually carried out at night by a small body of men. The character of these operations, the preparation of the road through our own and the enemy's wire, the crossing of open ground, the unseen penetration of the enemy's trenches, hand-to-hand fighting in the darkness, and the uncertainty as to the strength of the opposing force give peculiar scope to gallantry, dash and quickness of decision of the troops engaged and much skill and daring are frequently displayed in these operations.

"The initiative in these minor operations has been taken and on the whole has been held by us, but the Germans recently have attempted some bold and well conceived raids against our lines, many of which have been driven back, although some succeeded in penetrating."

General Haig mentions the arrival of the Anzacs and South Africans and additional Canadian forces in France and says that this made possible the taking over of a greater extent of front. He then tells of the improvement in the different branches of the army and in the health of the armies. He says:

"The sick rate has been consistently

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KAUFMAN ADDRESSES TOBACCO MERCHANTS

Says Newspaper Advertising is Most Valuable to Them.

Says Demand for Tobacco Ceases When You Cease to Advertise—Square Deal Demanded of Law Makers by President.

Washington, May 29.—Newspaper advertising is most valuable to the tobacco trade, Herbert Kaufman, of New York, declared in an address before the Tobacco Merchants' Association, which opened its two-day convention here today. Mr. Kaufman, with a number of members of both houses of Congress, was a guest at a banquet given by the tobacco men tonight.

"The demand for tobacco ceases when you stop advertising," said Mr. Kaufman. "Newspapers are the best because they reach rich and poor alike. When you do advertise be sure of the merit of your product. Do not advertise something you cannot deliver."

"A square deal" for the tobacco industry at the hands of law-makers was demanded by Jacob Wertheim, of New York, president of the association, who declared at the business session of the convention that tobacco interests are already paying $110,000,000 or approximately one-seventh of the government's annual revenue, into the Federal Treasury.

"I do not think it is fair to ask them to pay more," he added, "as is proposed in a bill now before Congress."

He said that tobacco was a necessary luxury and already had been taxed to the limit.

The speakers at the banquet tonight included Senators Fletcher, of Florida; Reed, of Missouri; James, of Kentucky; Oliver, of Pennsylvania, and Harding, of Ohio; Representatives Mann, of Illinois; Fitzgerald, of New York; Hurlbert, of New York, and R. Goodwyn Rhett, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

MR. KITCHIN IN SPEECH ATTACKS 'BIG NAVY' MEN

Majority Leader Speaks for Naval Appropriation Bill.

Says He is Supporting Present Measure Because it Eliminates the Five-Year Programme—General Debate Closed.

Washington, May 29.—Majority Leader Kitchin made his promised speech in behalf of the Naval Appropriation bill in the House today, explaining that while he believed the measure provided for greater preparedness on sea than the country really needed he was supporting it because it eliminated the Navy Department's five-year building programme. He devoted himself most vigorously to attacking the so-called big navy men, asserting that the present clamor for preparedness was due in the main to hysteria and jingoism.

In opposing the five-year programme Mr. Kitchin said it would be foolish to contract for ships at present high prices when it was probable that the cost of materials would be much lower after the war.

General debate closed with Mr. Kitchin's speech and the House then began consideration of the bill under the rule permitting five-minute speeches on amendments. This probably will be continued until 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, the hour set for the final vote. The House remained in session until late this evening and the leaders agreed to meet tomorrow at the usual hour instead of recessing over Memorial Day.

Representatives Farr, of Pennsylvania; Britten, of Illinois, and Roberts, of Massachusetts, spoke during the day for the minority report with its larger building programme. Mr. Farr drew applause from the galleries by declaring in favor of building 25 capital fighting ships, 250 submarines and many air craft.

A score of amendments offered at the close of general debate were promptly voted down.

AIMS TO PROVE ENNIS IS GUILTY OF MURDER

State's Attorney Says Women's Bodies Were Ground Up.

Presents Sausage Mill in Court, When Trial of Ennis and Wife For Larceny Begins in Atlanta. Mother on Stand.

Atlanta, Ga., May 29.—The state will attempt to prove that Victor E. Innes of Eugene, Ore., not only took $3,745.20 from Mrs. Eloise Nelms Dennis but he murdered Mrs. Dennis and her sister, Beatrice Nelms, Solicitor General Dorsey announced here today at the opening of Innes' trial for larceny after trust. The Nelms sisters disappeared in San Antonio, Texas, in June, 1914, and Innes and his wife later were acquitted there of charges of murdering the two Atlanta women. Both husband and wife later were indicted here on larceny charges.

The state today elected to try Innes first after the defense had won its point that the two should go on separate trials. First witnesses called were intended to show Innes' alleged connection with the murders and Solicitor Darsey produced a sausage mill in which he asserted he would prove the women's bodies were ground up at San Antonio. Onobjection of the defense, Superior court Judge Hill, presiding, ruled that the state first must show that the $3,740.20 mentioned in the larceny indictment was entrusted to Innes before taking up any other part of the case. It was intimated the state would later bring evidence regarding the murder.

Mrs. John W. Nelms, mother of the missing women, then took the stand and before adjournment testified regarding leters she said her married daughter received from Innes, who it is said acted as attorney for Mrs. Dennis prior to her disappearance.

Mrs. Nelms referred to Innes as that "demon" and was told by the court that such language would not be allowed.

CANDIDATES WORKING HARD ON FINAL LAP

Much Activity in State as Seen From the Capital City.

Second Primary is Thought to Be a Certainty—Grimes' Friends Think He Will Win in First Primary —Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—With the State-wide primaries only four days off, with all the machinery in thorough order, including the complete distribution of ballots for all parties and all candidates by the State Board of Elections, the candidates and their friends are bending their energies for the last heat in those cases where there is real competition, notably for governor, secretary of state, attorney general, commissioner of agriculture and for Congress in the Sixth and the Tenth districts.

With all the talk about agreements that will aver the necessity of second primary, there are none who expect to see them avoided, especially for attorney general, with possibilities that they will include secretary of state and commissioner of agriculture and some others. J. A. Hartness made the proposal to Col. J. Bryan Grimes and Capt. Haywood Clark that the plurality vote in the first settle the primary contest, but neither Grimes nor Clark would accept. Colonel Grimes' friends are claiming now that his prospects are fine for nomination on the first ballot. They say that reports the past few days from 10,000 active friends in every section of the State pledged to him indicate that he will ge the nomination in the first primary.

Major W. A. Graham said today that while he was perfectly willing to leave the nomination for commissioner of agriculture to the plurality vote in the first primary, he thinks the agreement will not be reached, but that he will get the nomination in the first primary anyway.

The impression prevails here that in the four-cornered contest for attorney general, Judge J. S. Manning will lead in the first and win out in the second, although good votes are assured for Edmund Jones, T. H. Calvert and N. A. Sinclair. Sinclair's friends are claiming strong support for him in a number of the western counties, including Buncombe, Henderson and others.

The contest for the Democratic nomination for members of the corporation commission, in which W. T. Lee, present commissioner, is being opposed by his fellow countryman, D. L. Boyd, is assuming interesting conditions. The charge is made that Commissioner Lee is responsible for the considerable increases that have been made in tax assessments throughout the State. Commissioner Lee and his friends are putting in some strenuous work in refutation of this effort to win votes away from him and one of the friends closest to the Lee campaign declared today that they have good prospects of carrying practically every county in the State. He said they are depending on the influence of the thinking men of the State to vote and vindicate both Commissioner Lee and the full commission on its tax assessment policy.

Governor Craig made an order today appointing Paul D. Gregg, of Asheville; Robert Cohless, of Salisbury, and Horace C. Thomas, Goldsboro, to West Point for courses in the military Academy provided they stand the necessary examination, which are set for June 6 at the Washington, D. C., barracks.

There are forty-six of the one hundred counties in the State to hold teachers' institutes this summer and the workers assign by the State Department of Education to hold these are to meet in Raleigh June 1 and 2 for a special conference in preparation for this work.

DR. M'CLURE AT DAVIDSON AND BARIUM SPRINGS SUNDAY

Preaches Commencement Sermon at the Presbyterian College.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Davidson, N. C., May 29.—The exercises of the Davidson commencement opened very pleasantly yesterday morning with the baccalaureate sermon by Dr. M. E. Sentelle. Dr. Sentelle is professor of philosophy at Davidson and also teaches the two lower Bible classes. It was an unusual treat to hear him and all enjoyed it. His sermon was on the subject, "The greatest thing in life—to save men's souls."

Your correspondent had the privilege of attending the service of the morning at Barium Springs and hearing Rev. A. D. McClure, of Wilmington, preach a very instructive sermon from the text, "I being in the way." The passage is found in the prayer of Eleazer when he found Rebecca at the well. In development of his sermon Dr. McClure showed the advantages of being in and disadvantages of being out of God's way.

At the Y. M. C. A. service at Davidson on Sunday night, Dr. McClure preached from the text "I came not to send peace but a sword." In the sermon he showed that this referred to the continual war against the devil and that the only weapon to be used is the Word of God.

Mrs. M. M. Caldwell, of Wilmington, who has been visiting relatives near Concord, N. C., came with some others in a car to attend the services at Barium Springs yesterday morning.

CONVICT MAKES ESCAPE.

Jim Hill Runs Into Woods Near Winter Park—Guard Shoots at Him.

Jim Hill, colored, for whom the county of New Hanover paid several hundred dollars to get back from New York early in the year after he had served a term on Blackwell's Island, escaped yesterday afternoon from the gang of convicts engaged in building a road near Winter Park and disappeared into the woods nearby. One of the guards shot at him but apparently did not hit the fleeing convict.

Sheriff Cowan was notified at once and Deputy Sheriffs Reynolds and Kelly and County Officer H. Mack Godwin went out to search for the negro but could not locate him. He had not been captured last night. He had about eight months still to serve.

three hundred commissioned and non-commissioned officers of the Virginia State Militia began their week's training early this morning. The officers in charge Brigadier General E. D. Vaughan, of Richmond, were instructed today in everyp phase of the war game, including infantry tactics, field orders, entraining forage, administration, detraining, etc. The camp is situated at the foot of Mill Mountain, one mile and a half from the city.

STAYED IN WASHINGTON TO VOTE AGAINST BILL

Why Senator Borah Failed to Come to A. & M. College.

His Opposition to River and Harbor Measure the Cause of Breaking His Engagement at Raleigh. To Chapel Hill.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington ,May 29.—The certainty that a vote on the River and Harbor bill would come today prevented Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, from going to Raleigh, where tonight he had intended delivering an address to the students of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. Senator Borah told The Star correspondent today that he was very much opposed to the River and Harbor bill which carries $43,000,000 for river and harbor work and he did not feel like neglecting his duty to the extent of leaving Washington when this important matter was pending.

The motion of Senator Hustings to re-commit the bill was defeated late this afternoon by a vote of 35 to 33. It was a victory for those who wanted the large appropriations made, but at the same time it carried a warning that the day of such large appropriations is about passed and probably next year and all succeeding years the amount carried in the river and harbor bills will be considerably less than the enormous amount in the present measure. There are many meritorious items in the present measure just as there are many "pork barrel" millions.

Mrs. Robert N. Page, Miss Kate Page and Mrs. Thad Page went to Chapel Hill today to attend the graduating exercises. Robert Page, Jr., is one of the graduates. Representative Page and Mr. Thad Page will leave tomorrow.

Mr. D. E. Wharton and bride and Mr. Thos. P. Wharton, who have been the guests of Representative and Mrs. Small, left for Washington, N. C., tonight.

Mr. Robt. R. Boyd, a prominent attorney of Reidsville, spent Sunday here with his brother, Col. H. S. Boyd. Mrs. S. H. Boyd, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. N. Meyer, in Philadelphia, returned home Sunday.

Col. W. H. Osborne, accompanied by a half dozen tobacco experts, left here tonight to visit the tobacco establishments in the State. The party will visit Durham, Oxford, Greensboro and Winston-Salem. P. R. A.

COMMENCEMENT SERMON BY BISHOP J. H. M'COY SUNDAY

Chapel Hill, N. C., May 28.—It is only in the amplitude of our dwelling place, the reach of our relationships that we measure our life." In these words Bishop J. H. McKoy struck the keynote of his sermon before the graduating class of the university here Sunday. His text was taken from Acts 17:28: "For in Him we live and move and have our being."

Bishop McCoy spoke in the beginning of "the inadequacy of paganism even at its best to satisfy the religious wants of man's heart," as evidenced in the altar erected by the Athenians to the unknown God. "I presume," he continued, "that the greatest single forward step that the intellect of man ever took was the discovery of the unity of law and of nature."

The nature and extent of earthly relationships were strikingly pictured by the bishop. "Ecen the pebble in the brook," he declared, "has a multitude of relationships. It cannot be understood until it is placed geologically. It holds a kinship to the spheres that roll in outer spaces. After all its world is a very large one when you come to know its relationships?"

The world of the flowers was then shown to be an infinitely bigger world; the world of the mocking bird a still greater one; and the world of man the greatest because of its spiritual relationships. "You have never inventoried the reach of man's relationships," continued the bishop, "until you reach his spiritual relations, his religion, which brings him into contact with the divine. It looks like we are provincials in our relations, our attachments; yet there is that strange contradiction that God has put into the heart—that longing for all spaces, that divine something in man that makes him want to discover the poles of a planet."

The speaker then referred to man's conquest over nature. The discovery of the North Pole was a great tragedy, he thought; it destroyed the romance pertaining to its discovery, and after all it is of no use. Man has ever had this persistency in his telescope to the heavens, if perchance he may discover new worlds and forms.

"We do belong in space, there are spots to which we long to come back; but, thank God, out yonder come the great swells that lift us and make us pull at our anchorages."

Turning to the Senior Class, Bishop McCoy said: "You young men have enlarged the world by every fact you have found out here. You are completing your life by the establishing of your intellectual relationships." He then referred to the soul's power for enlargement: "The soul has its ninth power in God's infinite scheme of things."

Bishop McCoy contended against the life, for "the very constitution of the human mind demands the absolute as a conception. The mind of man must reach some first cause, or else resign itself to madness. God is the first postulate of human thought."

Bishop McCoy continued against the assumption that truth might be entirely mastered, and the supply of truth exhausted.

PRAISES WORK OF FRENCH AT VERDUN

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There has been no serious epidemic, an denteric fever, the bane of armies in the past, has almost entirely disappeared owing to preventative measures energetically carried out."

The dispatch closes with a tribute to Field Marshal Viscount French who, says General Haig, starting the war with our small expeditionary force, faced an enemy far superior in numbers and fully prepared for this great campaign.

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COMMITTEE IN FAVOR OF TARIFF COMMISSION

Formally Adopted as Part of the General Revenue Bill.

Anti-Dumping Clause and Provision to Prevent Unfair Competition by Foreign Business Interests Incorporated.

Washington, May 29.—Democrats of the House Ways and Means committee today formally adopted as a part of the general revenue bill the Rainey tariff commission bill, introduced at the instance of the administration, and incorporated in the general measure anti-dumping clauses and a provision to prevent unfair competition from foreign business interests. Nothing definite was done regarding the income, inheritance and munitions taxes. The committee is expected to report the revenue bill shortly.

A formal statement issued by Chairman Kitchin, of the committee, on the result of today's action, follows:

"The majority members have finally decided to report favorably the administration tariff commission known as the Rainey bill, which will be a part of the general revenue bill of this session.

"There will be incorporated in the general revenue bill ample provision for the encouragement of the dyestuff industry, the committee believing that the production of dyestuffs stands solitary and alone in its relation to the tariff. Before the European war, Germany controlled the whole production. We produced here less than 20 per cent. Not only the United States but the whole world was dependent upon Germany for its dyestuffs. The action of the committee will make it possible that within the next five years American dyestuffs manufacturers will produce at least 65 per cent of the domestic consumption and this will make not only dyestuffs manufacturers but the industries using dyestuffs in preference to the German monopoly.

"There will also be incorporated in the general revenue bill ample antidumping and unfair competition provisions."

Mr. Kitchin said he believed a large number of Republicans would support the bill.

BLOODY BATTLES IN VERDUN REGION AND SOUTH TYROL

(Continued from Page One.)

news of the invasion of Macedonia by the Bulgarians.

Bulgarian troops crossed the Greek frontier on May 26 and occupied the Greek forts of Rupel, Dragotin and Spatovo. The Greek troops which had garrisoned these forts withdrew on the advance of the Bulgarians who claimed permission from the Athens government for their act. The Bulgarians were said to be led by German officers who explained to the commanders of the Greek forts that the Central Powers were merely being accorded the same privilege that had been given the Entente Allies in permitting them to occupy Saloniki.

It was reported from Athens yesterday that feeling was running very high in the Greek capital over the Bulgarian invasion. The Herald, the organ of M. Venizelos, appeared yesterday with a black border and contained a fiery article from the pen of the former premier.

RIVER AND HARBOR MEASURE IS PASSED

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ried approximately forty million dollars. Chief among the Senate additions was $1,800,000 for diverting dams in the harbors at Los Angeles and Long Beach, Cal.; $220,000 for the harbor at Sandiego, Cal., and $360,000 for a turning basin in the harbors of Duluth and Superior on Lake Superior.

An appropriation of $200,000 for deepening East river, New York, the only new project inserted in the bill by the House and stricken out by the Senate committee later, was restored in the Senate. It was urged by the President and the Secretary of the Navy as an imperative preparedness measure necessary in order to provide a channel for battleships to the navy yard at Brooklyn.

VROOMAN DELIVERS ADDRESS INSTEAD OF SENATOR BORAH

Commencement at A. & M. College Trustees Meet Today.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—There was keen disappointment at the inability of Senator Borah to fill his engagement to deliver the commencement address today tonight for the A. & M. College commencement. However, he sent an able substitute in the person of Hon. Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture. The commencement events ar escoring marked success in every detail. The biggest class to graduate in the history of the college is to receive diplomas Tuesday morning and special interest centers in the meeting of the board of trustees scheduled for 9 o'clock Tuesday morning when there will be final action as to the selection of a president to succeed Dr. Hill, who retires to devote his time to the commission of writing a history of North Carolina's part in the Civil war for the North Carolina division United Confederate Veterans.

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GERMAN-AMERICANS ADOPT A PLATFORM

Demand Neutrality of the George Washington Type.

Declares No Candidate for Presidency Not in Accord With "These Views" is Unworthy of Support of the People.

Chicago, May 29.—An official statement of the meeting of German-American leaders held here yesterday and today was given out this afternoon. Delegates were present from 25 states and Alaska and other states were represented by proxy. These delegates, it is stated, were "authorized representatives of churches or many different denominations, of social, business and quasi-political organizations and of the German-American Press Association.

"All large organizations of Americans, of German ancestry throughout the country were either directly represented or assured the committee of sympathetic support," continues the statement.

It quotes a formal platform of principles, the substance of which was made public yesterday and announces adoption of tariff resolutions:

"We demand a neutrality in strict accordance with the advice contained in George Washington's address to the American people.

"We urge a foreign policy which protects American lives and American interests with equal firmness and justice.

"We condemn every official act and policy which shows passionate attachment for one belligerent nation or inveterate antipathy for another.

"We deplore those utterances, voiced by officials, ex-officials and others designed to create or tending to create a division among racial lines among our people.

"We hope that no party will nominate for the presidency a candidate whose views tend to establish such division.

"We trust that the Republican convention will unite all the elements in the party upon a candidate whose views are in harmony with those hereinbefore expressed.

"We trust the Democratic convention will nominate for the presidency one who subscribes to the views expressed hereinbefore.

"We assert that any candidate for the presidency who is not in accord with the views expressed hereinbefore is unworthy the support of a free and independent electorate."

Diseases That Show In Your Face?

It matters not how little confidence we may have in our ability as mind readers, all of us by life-long practice are face-readers. A considerable part of our attitude toward our fellows is determined by what we see in their faces. Most of us have become surprisingly accurate face-readers in regard to moral and emotional tendencies. And we also read just as well when the face indicates either internal or external disease. The tense, drawn features indicating continued pain from some internal ailment, or the breaking out of one of the many skin diseases, which speak too plainly for themselves, because most, if not all skin diseases show on the face sooner or later. Impure, impoverished or impaired blood are the prime causes of disease. Therefore the blood should be nourished, as well as purified.

One of the striking changes in modern medication is the way the use of iron for blood troubles has decreased. It was discovered that iron was not a blood food. When people are suffering from poisoned blood, or impure or impoverished blood they need a remedy that will not only drive out the impurities but that will nourish the blood at the same time—S. S. S., the standard blood purifier for 50 years, is purely vegetable and will absolutely drive out the impurities and nourish and tone up the entire system, both physical and nervous. Purify and nourish your blood by taking S. S. S. If you need special advice, write Medical Department, Room 18, Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

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ROOSEVELT FIRST TO PITCH A TENT

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Senator Cummins, of Iowa; Senator La-Follette, of Wisconsin; Philander C. Knox ,of Pennsylvania, and Governor Brumbaugh, of Pennsylvania, will be opened June 1st.

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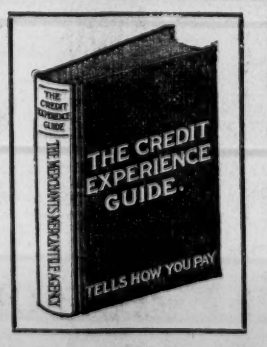

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IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

BRAVES DEFEATED BY THE GIANTS AT BOSTON

Cincinnati Wins From Pittsburg on Latter's Diamond.

Errors of Phillies Cost Game Which Goes to Brooklyn—Chicago-St. Louis Game Postponed on Account of Rain.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Chicago-St. Louis, rain.
At Boston 0; New York 3.
At Philadelphia 2; Brooklyn 3.
At Pittsburg 1; Cincinnati 6.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
(Tgo Games Each)

St. Louis at Chicago.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Brooklyn.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	20	11	.645
New York	19	13	.594
Philadelphia	19	15	.559
Cincinnati	19	21	.475
Boston	15	17	.469
Chicago	17	21	.447
Pittsburg	16	21	.432
St. Louis	16	22	.421

Boston, May 29.—The New York Nationals continued on their victorious way today, shutting out Boston 3 to 0. Mathewson did not waste his strength, seldom using a fast fall, and Boston hit only a few of his slow ones outside of the diamond. Five double plays shortened the game.

New York .....100 000 020—3 7 2
Boston .....000 000 000—0 4 3
Mthewson and Rariden; Rudolph and Gowdy.

Pittsburg, May 29.—Cincinnati won from Pittsburg 6 to 1 here today. In the ninth inning the visitors hammered Jacobs for four hits which, with a wild throw by Baird, resulted in four runs.

Cincinnati .....100 001 004—6 10 0
Pittsburg .....000 010 000—1 5 1
Mitchell and Wingo; Jacobs and Wilson.

Philadelphia, May 29.—Errors played a big part in the game which Brooklyn won here today 3 to 2. The only earned run was made by Myers in the eighth.

Brooklyn .....200 000 010—3 8 4
Philadelphia .....100 000 001—2 4 3
Cheney and Meyers; Rixey and Killifer.

23 Have Qualified For Big Race Today

SIXTH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES, 300-MILE AUTOMOBILE RACE AT INDIANAPOLIS TODAY

Indianapolis, May 29.—Twenty-three entrants have qualified for the 300-mile automobile race tomorrow, the sixth annual international sweepstakes on the Indianapolis motor speedway. Gaston Chevrolet will attempt to qualify tomorrow morning, to do which it is necessary to mak eone lap of two and a half miles at a rate of 80 miles an hour, and may be the twnety-fourth entrant.

Despite a heavy rain today the race will be run if it is not raining at the time of starting the contest, 1:30 tomorrow afternoon.

John Iitkin, Josef Christiaens, Eddie Rickenbacker, Dorie Rista and Eddie O'Donnell are the favorites on the betting boards and among the race enthusiasts. The team of Gill Anderson, Howard Wilcox and Tom Rooney is picked as a "dark horse" aggregation on account of their excellent showing in the elimination trials. There is also much speculation regarding the probable speed of the winner. The record was established by Ralph DePalma when he won last year at a naverage of 89.84 miles an hour.

It was announced tonight that an accident to the machinery of Eddie O'Donnell's car would prevent him starting. Jack LeCain's car also was in such poor shape that he is not expected to compete.

OFFICER ON BRITISH STEAMER DIES FROM BEING BEATEN

Was Assaulted by Unknown Parties While Ashore at Newport News.

Newport News, Va., May 29.—Charles Douglas, third officer on the British steamer Swan River, died at local hospital tonight as the result of injuries received Thursday night when beaten by unidentified assailants while ashore. The man was discovered unconscious in his quarters this morning, having had little or no attention since returning to the ship. Fellow officers thought that he was getting over the effects of a supposed "spree" when in fact he was suffering froma fractured skull.

Petersburg, Va., May 29.—George "King" Kelly has resigned as manager of the Petersburg, Virginia League, team and Helfrich, last year with the Brooklyn Federal League team, has been chosen to succeed him according to an announcement made by the local club owners here tonight.

Richmond, Va., May 30.—Miss Ethel W. Payne was struck and killed tonight b yan automobile driven by Lloyd T. Wilson, Jr., son of widely known Baptist minister. Wilson was returning from a hospital to which he had taken his mother, when the young woman attempted to cross the street in fornt of his car.

Annapolis, Md., May 29.—The list of the nine "star" men of the class which graduates next Friday at the Naval Academy was made public today. It bures the name of Osborne B. Hardi- of North Carolina.

RED SOX DEFEAT THE YANKEES AT NEW YORK

Senators and Athletics Play Desperately Fought Tie.

St. Louis and Detroit Divide a Doubleheader, Tigers Pounding Out 17 to 6 Victory in Second Game at Detroit.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At New York 0; Boston 3.
At Detroit 2-17; St. Louis 8-6. (Called end 8th, catch train.)
At Washington 5; Philadelphia 5; (Called end 9th to catch train.)

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
(Two Games Each)

Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Washington	24	12	.667
Cleveland	23	14	.622
New York	19	14	.576
Boston	18	18	.500
Chicago	16	19	.457
Detroit	16	21	.432
Philadelphia	13	22	.371
St. Louis	13	23	.361

Detroit, May 29.—St. Louis and Detroit divided a doubleheader here today, the visitors taking the first game 8 to 2, while the Tigers pounded out a 17 to 6 victory, in the second contest. St. Louis won the opening game by pounding Cunningham for thirteen hits in the seven innings he was in the box. In the second contest the Tigers hit three St. Louis pitchers for 19 hits, driving Plank and Crandall from the box in the third inning. The second game was called at the end of the eighth inning to allow St. Louis to catch a train.

St. Louis . . . . .030 104 000—8 14 1
Detroit . . . . . .000 010 001—2 9 3
Wellman and Severeid, Cunningham, Boland and Stanage.

Second game:
St. Louis . . .103 110 00— 6 10 7)
Detroit . . . . . .219 110 30—17 19 3
Plank, Crandall, Fincher and Severeid; DuBuc and Stanage.

Washington, May 29.—Washington and Philadelphia played a desperately fought 5 to 5 tie today, the game being called in the ninth to allow the home team to catch a train for Boston. Each club used three pitchers, Johnson and Meyers engaging in a duel at the finish.

Philadelphia . . .200 000 030—5 8 2
Washington . . . .000 003 002—5 7 0
Sheehan, Nabors and Myers and Schang; Ayers, Rice, Johnson and Henry, Ainsmith.

New York, May 29.—After losing six straight only the Bostons defeated the Yankees in the closing game of their series today, 3 to 0. Carl Mays starting his first game of the season held New York to three hits.

Boston . . . . . .110 010 000—3 0 0
New York . . .000 000 000—0 3 0
Mays and Thomas; Caldwell and Walters.

MINOR LEAGUES.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Providence, 4; Richmond, 3.
At Rochester, 0; Toronto, 5.
At Buffalo, 6; Montreal, 10.
At Newark, 3; Baltimore, 6.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At Indianapolis, 1; Louisville, 2.
At St. Paul, 9; Minneapolis, 8.
At Columbus-Toledo—rain.
No others scheduled.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE
Al Albany 0; Augusta 4.
At Columbia 2; Montgomery 3; (10 innings.)
At Macon 4; Jacksonville 6.
At Columbus 3; Charleston 0.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.
At Little Rock 0; Atlanta 4.
At Memphis 6; Birmingham 4.
At Chattanooga 7; New Orleans 1.
At Nashville-Mobile, rain.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE
At Newport News 4, Petersburg 1.
At Norfolk 6, Rocky Mount 5.
At Portsmouth 17, Hopewell 0.

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE
At Asheville 11, Charlotte 0.
At Raleigh 0, Greensboro 4.
At Winston-Salem 1, Durham 3, (five innings, called account, rain).

INSPECTION OFFICIALS ABSENT FIRST DAY OF COMMENCEMENT

Annual Ceremonies at the Naval Academy Began Yesterday.

Annapolis, Md., May 29.—The ceremonies of commencement week at the Naval Academy began today. A few minutes before the time scheduled for the official reception to the board of visitors, composed of members of the naval affairs committees of the Senate and House, it became known that the inspecting officials would not be on hand. It was thought they would arrive during the day, but word came that press of congressional business kept them in the national capital. The situations, although unprecedented in the annals of "June Week" events, did nof interfere with the exercises.

Henry M. Mullinaux, of Indiana is honor man of the class that will graduate next Friday, having led his fellows throughout the four years' course. Second honors will be taken by Norman P. Earle, of Illinois, Ralph E. Davison, of Missouri, who stands third received three of the four awards for proficiency in professional work. Six other graduates attained the "star" grade, a mark of 85 per cent. or better.

Wadesboro, N. C., May 29.—Mr. Isaac H. Horton has purchased the stock of hardware formally owned by the Wadesboro Hardware Company and will this week re-open thta establishment. Mr. Horton is a practical business man and will doubtless give Wadesboro a hardware store commensurate with its needs.

Official War Statements

BRITISH.

London, May 30. — The following official communication was issued at midnight Monday:

"During the past 24 hours the enemy artillery has been very active on certain portions of our front, particularly between La Bassee canal and Arras. The enemy bombarded our front and support lines in the neighborhood of Loos. The bombardment was particularly heavy in the early morning and continued intermittently throughout the day on all tactical points in this locality. The town and neighborhood of Arras, and as far as Neuville-St. Vaast, also were the scenes of intermittent and heavy concentrated bombardments. We replied effectively, in some cases silencing hostile batteries.

"In the region of Loos mines were sprung by the enemy, but without damaging our defenses. On our right the re-entrant into our line about Mametz and Fricourt has been the scene of some artillery activity, but not of a serious nature. On the left our front, from Killebeke to Hooge and the vicinity of Elverdinghe has been heavily shelled. North of Hooge our artillery breached a hostile parapet, destroying a machine gun emplacement. Our guns caused considerable damage to the enemy at various points, in addition to engaging hostile batteries.

"There has been no infantry action during the last twenty-four hours. The fine sunny weather has been suitable for aerial work, and much successful work has been accomplished by us. Few German aeroplanes were seen."

GERMAN

Berlin, May 29.—Today's army headquarters statement follows:

"Western Front: Enemy monitors which approached the coast were driven off by our artillery.

"The aerodrome at Furnes was successfully bombarded by German aviators.

"Artillery duels were continued with undiminished violence on both banks of the Meuse. Two weak attacks by the French on the village of Cumieres were easily repulsed.

"Eastern and Balkan Fronts: There is nothing to report."

ITALIAN.

Rome, via London, May 29.—The following official communication was issued today:

"In the Lagarina valley Sunday night and Monday morning the enemy renewed his stubborn, sanguinary attacks against our positions between the Adige and Val D'Arsa. The attacks were always broken by the firm resistance of our troops. I nthe Posin-Astico sector the intense artillery duel continued yesterday. A large force of the enemy in the afternoon attacked a part of our troops. In the Posin-Astico sector rent, but after a determined struggle it was repulsed with considerable losses.

On the Asiago plateau our troops now are occupying and consolidating positions dominating the Asiago basin. A brilliant counter attack by the 14th regiment relieved two batteries which had been surrounded on Monte Mosiag and saved the guns. In the Sugana valley there were some skirmishes.

"On the remainder of the front the artillery actions were especially intense at Plava and Monfalcone."

FRENCH.

Paris, May 29.—The official communication tonight reads:

"On the left bank of the Meuse the enemy directed all day an intense bombardment with shells of large calibre against our first and second lines from the Avocourt wood to Cumieres. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Germans violently attacked our positions on Hill 304. Repulsed the first time with considerable losses, the enemy renewed his effort at 5:30 o'clock and suffered a new sanguinary check.

"Concentrations of the enemy reported west of Hill 304 were taken under the fire of our batteries and dispersed.

"Between LeMort Homme and Cumieres a strong enemy attack debouching from the Corbeaux wood was broken up by our barrier fire, except at one point where the enemy gained a footing on a front of about 300 meters in one of our advanced trenches northwest of Cumieres.

"On the right bank there was a violent artillery action in the regions to the east and west of Fort Douaumont.

"Except for the usual cannonading, which was particularly spirited in the Apremont forest, there is no event to report on the rest of the front."

WITH HALF MILLION RABBITS.

British Steamer Cumberland Puts in at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., May 20.—With a general cargo valued at $2,000,000, composed chiefly of meats for the Allies, the big British steamer Cumberland, arrived today from Wellington, N. Z., to take on bunker coal before proceeding to Liverpool. The steamer came through the Panama Canal. Among the Cumberland's cargo is 500 tons of rabbits from New Zealand and Australia. At an average of two pounds each, there are half a million rabbits in the Cumberland's cold storage.

Asheville, N. C., May 29.—John Edward Calfee, head of the department of mathematics at Berea College, Berea, Ky., has resigned that position to accept the presidency of the Normal and Collegiate Institute here, succeeding Prof. Edward P. Childs, who retired from the presidency in January. Professor Calfee will assume his new duties on August 1.

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SINCLAIR ALSO DECLINES

Will Not Enter Agreement That the Highest Candidate Be Declared Nominee.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., May 29.—N. A. Sinclair, candidate for attorney general, this afternoon mailed his reply to Capt. Edmund Jones, of Lenoir, as to Captain Jones' proposition that the four candidates for attorney general agree among themselves to give the nomination to the man who stands highest in the first primary. Mr. Sinclair calls attention to the fact that this proposition might result in the naming of a minority candidate, and declines to enter into the deal.

Mr. Sinclair says:

"Capt. Edmund Jones, Lenoir, N. C.

"My Dear Captain: Your letter received on my return here Saturday evening. Replying, I wish to say that it is a fundamental principle of the party that its candidates must be named by a majority of the voters. Your proposition might result in naming a minority candidate, which would be undemocratic and in violation of the letter and spirit of the law of the State.

"Of course, any aspirant who does not wish to enter the second primary is at liberty to withdraw without any agreement among us. The people had become tired of having their candidates selected by trades and secret political deals, and enacted the primary law to put an end to it. My candidacy has been presented to the people solely upon its merits, and is absolutely free from any suspicion of political deal, and I am willing to let the people say whom they wish to nominate.

"If not nominated in the first primary, I feel perfectly assured that I will win in the second. For these reasons I can make no agreements, but leave it to the people as the law provides.

"With personal regards, I am your friend. N. A. SINCLAIR."

LYMAN DISMISSES HIS LAWYERS; ACTS AS HIS OWN ATTORNEY.

Trial is Begun on Charges of Using the Mails to Defraud.

New York, May 29.—The belief that he was suspected of being a German spy and munition ship destroyer caused Dr. John Grant Lyman hurriedly to close up the brokerage business he was operating under the name of J. H. Putnam & Company in this city and flee to Florida, he asserted today at the opening of his trial in the United States district court in the charge of using mails to defraud. Lyman, who also is wanted by the Federal authorities of Los Angeles for fleeing from that city while under $20,000 bail after being convicted for operating a Panama land swindling scheme, dismissed his lawyers and acted as his own attorney.

Dr. Lyman indicated his defense during the examination of talesmen when he asked who their sympathies were with in the present war.

"I have a letter from Capt. Guy Gaunt, the British attache," he said, "which I propose to introduce in evidence showing that I have been suspected of making bombs to be put on munition ships and if such an astute detective as Mr. Flynn, of the United States Secret Service, and Captain Gaunt were deceived by the information they received concerning me, how much easier would it be for an ordinary man to be deceived?"

J. C. CLIFTON HAS GAINED 5 POUNDS FROM ONE BOTTLE

Well Known Wilmington Man Says He Could Only Sleep Half the Night and Was So Run-Down He Had to Quit Work.

"I could not sleep half of the night and felt so weak that I could hardly move. My health was so bad that I thought I could never regain my former good condition." The speaker was J. C. Clifton, farmer, who is well and favorably known to the people of Wilmington. He addressed his talk to the Tanlac Man and interested listeners at the Bellamy Drug Store.

Continuing, he said: "Doctors told me I suffered from blood impurities. My complexion was very pale; my weight fell off and I lost so in strength and energy that I was compelled to quit working. I had taken so many medicines without gaining results that I hesitated somewhat before taking Tanlac, even though it was recommended highly to me by people of well standing.

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Newport News, Va., May 29. — Local attorneys tomorrow will make application in the United States district court at Norfolk for habeas corpus proceedings to secure the release of five seamen of the Russian bark Procron, who are being held in Bloodfield jail, Warwich county, on charges of desertion.

Washington, May 29. — The American Red Cross announced tonight that its membership had passed the 100,000 mark as a result of the campaign begun several weeks ago, whe nthe membership was only 30,000.

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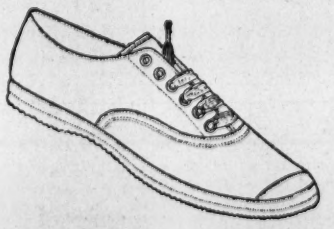

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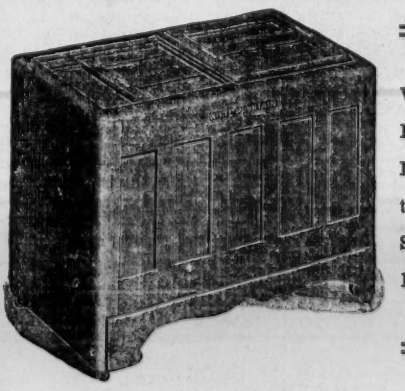

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

All the world admires the man, the woman, the boy, the girl, who dares to do right—dares to do right alone, at any cost, and in spite of the world. —PELL.

Your leisure hours can be very profitably employed unless you prefer to waste your time.

Amid the wreck and ruin of war there is to be noticed the reputation of many prophets and literary strategists.

Our opportunities are numerous if we will only look around and see them laughing at us for not getting busy.

When a man has his picture taken he assumes a peculiarly solemn attitude and is liable to make the artist think that he is lamping the mug of a more or less live sphinx.

It took Big Business a long time to realize that combinations in restraint of trade are wrong in principle as well as contrary to law. Combinations of all kinds to interfere with the rights and privileges of others is both lawless and immoral.

An old school Democrat says it is his idea that "the average man who is trusted with a little authority gets usurpious and pomperious by instinct." Yes, give them rope and they fancy at once that they are in possession of a regular tow line.

An old friend says they don't have to tell him that "the lid is on," for he knows a lid when it presses right down on top of him. He is actually getting so used to it that he would pay the boom price for a desirable lot right close up to the waterworks.

The Columbia Record advises: "Don't make fun of a new style." Of course, it is better for a fellow to be wise and remain neutral, for he knows not the hour that he may be called upon to personally conduct a new style to some kind of entertainment that really is one.

Some men are so anxious to "get there" that they don't recognize the fact that it would be to their advantage to "stop and think." However, if a fellow happens to stop and think he is either suspected of trying to have a little judgment or is charged with concocting some sort of chicanery.

No administration can be held responsible for the officiousness of its officials. It is utterly impossible to avoid the putting into office of a few men who are offish to start with and are liable to start something in accordance with some of the ideas that rattle around in their beans. Be considerate and also calm, as a whole. Let your own equilibriator work a little.

Says the Greensboro Record: "As we recall it, the day Noah built his ark he ran out of ten penny nails and sent a messenger boy after them, which delayed the sailing three weeks." During all that three weeks of waiting, Noah had plenty of time to swat the two ancestors of all these flies. He had the chance to do it, but he never even took the trouble to put them to roost on a sheet of fly paper.

A Confederate veteran who fought in numerous battles and escaped death from thousands of bullets was run over by an automobile a few days ago in Atlanta. He fought with a muzzle loading gun and yet lived to see the day he could read by an electric light and see people riding in "chariots without horses." The veteran is 70 years old, but even at that the automobile did not get the best of him.

It is now reported that former Senator Philander Knox is a dark horse for the presidential nomination at Chicago. If he gets to taking himself too seriously, the unsuspecting American public is liable to be warned against all pudgy Pennsylvanians who have sneaked around all this time without letting the people know how they stand on bunk and other excrutiatingly vital matters that are so distractingly important to all wild and wooly Americans.

THE GENIUS FOR MANUFACTURING

It is necessary for people as well as individuals to have a genius for manufacturing and it is that kind who build the industrial cities of the country. We have often urged our own people to develop industries of their own while waiting for others to accept Wilmington's pressing invitations to come on here and start something or other—whatever suits them. With a city possessed of matchless adaptabilities for manufacturing for domestic and export distribution, industries come slowly, as the difficulty is in getting in touch with and getting hold of parties who desire to establish industries.

We can keep on following up all our known plans for inducing manufacturing industries to locate here, but meanwhile we want to urge the young men of Wilmington to cultivate a genius for manufacturing. When we get an eye for the business, we will find out that we can do more for our city than will ever be done by others who are supposed to be looking for manufacturing sites of various kinds.

Once we get the manufacturing spirit and do things ourselves, others will be attracted here by what they hear that we are doing on our own initiative. We believe that spirit is coming over our people, and surely our bankers and business men generally should promote and encourage it in every possible manner and particular. Anyhow, Wilmington is getting down to business now and we ought to congratulate ourselves that we are now about to take a step that will mean more for Wilmington in a practical way than all the praiseworthy but more or less unrewarded efforts of the past twenty-five years.

Heretofore our invitations and inducements to manufacturers have been of the most indefinite character, but we are about to launch a real industrial plan that is bound to accomplish results. We are going to have a definite, well defined and bona fide proposition to make to promoters and capitalists who are looking for something that they can look into and figure on in an absolutely practical way. We are going to vote on this definite proposition next Saturday and if we vote in favor of it our congratulations will hold good.

We refer, of course, to Mr. Hugh MacRae's manufacturing suburb undertaking, and we are to vote on the question as to whether or not we shall authorize the City Council to underwrite $40,000 of the $160,000 necessary to set up an industrial annex to the city of Wilmington.

Of course, it is up to us and we will have to show our manufacturing spirit by giving that proposition our heartiest endorsement at the polls. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by establishing that industrial suburb, for it is the best thing in the way of a bargain that we have seen in all our experience anywhere.

The cheapness of the proposition almost staggers us, as the enterprise is scheduled at $160,000 for taking over 500 acres of land with water and rail advantages for distribution for raw materials and manufactured products. Besides that, the city car line will run to the suburb and add immensely to its value. The property will be handled by a board of trustees for all the underwriters, and free sites for factories can be advertised with the absolute guarantee of the corporation under the business-like plans for its development. Why, a couple of small industries with a payroll of only $10,000 a year would make it a good investment for the city, not to mention at all the larger possibilities in the plan as a whole.

It is really such an economic proposition that we will almost feel like watering the stock and calling it our million dollar industrial suburb. The first thing to do is to vote for it and then get down to business in a way that will soon demonstrate that it is really Wilmington's first practical step towards becoming a city of payrolls.

BIG SHIPBUILDING OPPORTUNITIES IN THE SOUTH.

In an editorial on this subject, the Manufacturers' Record refers to some of the recently organized shipbuilding enterprises in the South and emphasizes it as evidence of the fact that "slowly but surely shipbuilding in the smaller yards of the South is increasing." From time to time that great Southern publication has been reporting the letting of vessel contracts to shipbuilders at different Southern ports and the organization of new companies for the purpose of building a certain class of vessels. "It is true," says The Record, "that the contracts received by these yards are for boats of the smaller type, but with the constantly increasing demand for bottoms the builders will find their business limited only by the capacity of their plants." Our valued contemporary says:

"A letter from the Chamber of Commerce of Wilmington, N. C., reports that the Wilmington Marine Railway Co., Wilmington, has recently contracted with a New York concern to build two three-masted schooners. These boats will be 225 feet long, with 40-foot beam. They will be constructed at the company's plant on Eagle's Island, which is reported as well equipped for this class of work. This is the first contract of this kind ever placed in Wilmington, and the fact that the port is prepared to handle such work and that it is being recognized by New York concerns augurs well for the future. It is estimated that from 150 to 200 men, including expert ship carpenters, etc., will be given employment in the building of these two vessels."

That is good publicity for a Wilmington plant, for it makes known the fact that it is prepared to undertake such contracts. The undertaking of building two vessels here is largely an experiment in a business way, yet Wilmington has experienced ship carpenters whose ability to turn out vessels of standard construction is beyond all question. The building of two ships will enable the Wilmington Marine Railway to get at the cost of construction in a practical way and then it will be prepared to determine as to the possibility of making it an industry. As to that The Record thus refers to the possibilities:

"That there is room for more yards in the South is attested by the fact that the small yards now in operation are securing good business, while the larger Southern yards, such as the Maryland Steel Company, the Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Company, and the Baltimore Drydock & Shipbuilding Company, have contracts aggregating not far from $40,000,000, which will keep their plants busy for two or three years. More ships are needed, and needed badly, and now is the chance for the small yard or a newly established shipbuilding concern to create a business that will not only be profitable to the company and the city in which it is located, but will be a valuable asset to the whole country by helping to develop a shipbuilding industry in the South."

Recently two shipbuilding companies were organized at Brunswick, Ga., as mentioned previously in The Star. They are new concerns and have put in equipment, or will install the same, to build a number of vessels already under contract. The Brunswick Shipbuilding Company will make a specialty of schooners with auxiliary oil-burning engines. The Marine Construction Company is the other Brunswick concern, and for the present it will construct wooden types of vessels. Later, it is contemplated, the latter company will install facilities for constructing vessels of steel.

Among the other Southern concerns which have taken contracts to build vessels are the Gulf City Boiler Works, of Mobile, and the Johnson Iron Works, of New Orleans. All this may be the beginning of an important industry at Wilmington and the other ports which have undertaken to build a class of ships for which there is a great demand.

AFRAID OF THE BULL MOOSE.

That was a rather disconsolate view which Chairman Hilles, of the Republican National committee, sent out from Chicago on Sunday through the Associated Press medium as a preliminary statement on the eve of the National conventions of the Republican and Progressive parties, which are to assemble in the Windy City on Wednesday of next week. Mr. Hilles is none too optimistic as to the outlook, and he is on the ground and ought to know practically what is in store for the Republican party at this time.

The fact is, Mr. Hilles does not seem to know any more than the rest of us as to what is liable to happen at Chicago. He is satisfied that the Progressive convention will nominate Roosevelt, with the merest possibility that if the Republicans will nominate a candidate acceptable to the Bull Moose, he will withdraw and help the Republican nominee to win. Otherwise, if neither the Republican nominee nor the G. O. P. platform are to his liking he will remain in the field and "perhaps help re-elect President Wilson," as Mr. Hilles expresses it.

The long and short of it is, Mr. Hilles frankly acknowledges that Roosevelt has it in his power to distate both the platform and the nominee of the Republican party. That makes him the master of both conventions, and whoever may be the nominee so chosen he will be another Roosevelt-made president—should he be elected next November.

SHORT ON MEMORY.

Our idea of a short memory is illustrated by the forgettery of any Democrat who wants to vote for Teddy under the mistaken idea that everything ran as smooth as a lubricated eel when the Rough Rider was President.

Some men can't even remember the enormous quietude which prevailed at the White House on the occasions that numerous American persons were called liars when sundry questions of veracity arose. We guess also that everybody except Senator Tillman and Mrs. Minor Morris has forgotten how she lost her clothes by being dragged across the White House lawn by colored knights errant who had the pull. It is reasonable to suppose that everybody will soon forget about the violation of Belgium's neutrality if they can't do so much as remember how noiselessly President Roosevelt "took" Panama and let the great iron lion gobble up its only formidable competitor, the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company.

Nobody can recollect the assassination of Americans in Mexico nor recall that the blood of thousands of Jews cried out in Russia, nor that the Turks massacred Greeks and Armenians till their savagery was glutted.

Anyhow, what is the use of trying to recollect history, when some men don't care whether they remember it or not?

Well, yes, a patriot is willing to serve the people, but the degree of cold that takes possession of his feet is registered according to the smallness of the pay for which he is expected to serve. Those who enjoy serving the people never have been known to try to get each other's goat when some little office has to be filled. Just why this is thus is a matter for you to decide for yourself when you are waiting for the fish to come on and get busy with your hook.

CURRENT COMMENT

It is taken for granted that those Democrats who believed four years ago that Mr. Wilson would wreck the party if not the country are gradually coming over.—Durhm aHerald.

We have been moved to wonder at the picture fad in the political advertisement. Almost every candidate for a State office has had his picture going the rounds and even some county candidates have fallen into the habit. Is it vanity? Heaven save the mark! The collection is a veritable gallery of plug-uglies. In some instances the candidate has put on a clean shirt and a smart collar and has his hair plastered down in an attempt to "look pretty", as the photographer would say, but these have simply succeeded in disguising themselves so that their own children would not know them. Not one could be recognized in a crowd by his picture in the paper. And then again, the voter is apt to be critical. The printed picture might be different from the picture he had conjured in his mind of the candidate and not to the candidate's profit. It would be interesting to know to a certainty how many votes a man's picture might win for him against how many it lost for him.—Charlotte Observer.

Whatever progress the Roosevelt candidacy makes is due to general uncertainty as to whether Hughes would take the nomination. Roosevelt may succeed in killing off Hughes, as he is straining every nerve to do, but he can succeed only with Hughes' tacit consent. Hughes need not be killed off unless he is willing to be killed off. The Roosevelt campaign fund is mobilized and in action, but Roosevelt is still considerably further from the White House than the Germans are from Paris. The Republicans who are so vociferously announcing their allegience to the Colonel represent about one vote apiece, provided they do not play golf on Election Day, and forget to go to the polls. Practically none of them are delegates to the Chicago Convention, and most of them could not carry their own election dsitricts. A majority of them have acquired their prominence through appointive offices, never having been elected to anything. To the casual reader their devotion to Roosevelt my seem impressive, but not to the managers of the Republican party. Four years ago Roosevelt had the Old Guard scared, and if he had had a little more courage he might have been nominated. But four years ago Roosevelt's support came from the rank and file of the Republican party. His delegates were won in the primaries. Now his support comes from the socially elect circles that see no opportunity of a return to place and power except through Roosevelt and from various corportion interests which confuse patriotism with dividends. The rank and file are not behind him, as every primary vote has shown.—New York World.

Thirty or 40 years ago, in North Carolina, a man of high character, an ex-Confederate veteran and Presbyterian elder, was a candidate for Congress. His opponent was a man of no character, but was quick at retort and an all around "smart fellow." In a joint debate between the two one day, the unscrupulous candidates turned upon his opponent and, pointing to him, exclaimed: "Fellow citizens, this man poses before you as a Presbyterian elder, but I tell you he is an emissary of the Pope of Rome!" Then, after a pause, he continued: "This man will deny it, fellow citizens, but I tell you he's no Presbyterian—he's an emissary of the Pope!" Of course, there was not a Roman Catholic in the audience. The Presbyterian elder was, at first, so stupefied by the accusation that he could say nothing but, recovering himself in a moment he shouted, "It's a lie!" His accuser, not in the least taken aback, coolly turned to the crowd and inquired, smilingly: "Fellow citizens, didn't I tell you he would deny it?" Consider the case of Richard I. Manning, candidate for a second term as Governor. The way to defeat Manning is to tell to the people the most preposterous stories possible. That will put him on the defensive. For instance, it will be effective doubtless to say that he is the "slave of the money power," and the "creature of the corporations." Now people who are informed and who reflect know that many bankers are opposed to Manning by reason of the State tax commission. They know, too, that because Manning refused to place the Brogon mills under martial law and would not displace government by the people with government by the bayonet, and for divers other reasons, most of the mill presidents are antagonistic to Mr. Manning's re-election. The plain and undisputed truth is that seldom has an administration in South Carolina stirred so much opposition on the part of corporations as has the administration of Richard I. Manning. Nevertheless, if one tell it often enough and with a voice loud enough that Richard I. Manning is a secret agent of Enver Pasha or of Pancho Villa, or of the Mormon church, some of the voters will believe it. Some of the people can be fooled all of the time and the more ridiculous the tale the more it will impress the shallow and the credulous.—Columbia State.

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Given Jail Term For Whipping A Convict

JUDGE BOND CUTS IN HALF TERMS OF ALL THOSE SENTENCED BY HIM TO ROADS IN LENOIR COUNTY.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., May 29.—As a result of his conviction that things are not what they should be on the Lenoir county roads, where convicts do the labor, Judge W. M. Bond in Superior court here ordered the sentences of all men sentenced by him to the chain gangs last week cut in half.

E. W. Mincher, a husky "walking boss", was sentenced by Judge Bond to 12 months in the county jail for whipping Junius Potter, a white convict. Mincher, according to admissions on the stand, had used the strap frequently in "disciplining" men. His moral character was under fire.

The county commissioners, who had passed a special resolution authorizing corporal punishment, and Bryant Taylor, superintendent of roads, are standing by Mincher. The case has been appealed and the man is at liberty under $1,500 bail.

Mincher's conduct, "with the record standing as it does, portrays a career of beating that the court has not yet seen equalled," declared Judge Bond in a statement. Incidents "that the court does not care to mention"—leaving the impression that they were too repulsive to dwell upon—came up in the evidence in Mincher's case, according to the statement from the bench. "I could see from Mincher's reply," to the solicitor "a while ago that he is a man of violent temper," says the statement.

MRS. VIRGINIA G. EMPIE GETS ONE-FIFTH OF THE ESTATE.

Final Accounting of Property Left by Robt. W. Gwathmey is Filed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New York, May 29.—An accounting—first and final—of the estate left by Robert W. Gwathmey, deceased brother of Mrs. Virginia G. Empie, of No. 309 Ann street, Wilmington, made by his nephew and administrator, Harry Fielding Reid, of No. 608 Cathedral street, Baltimore, in whose house he died on November 18, 1914, is today on file here in the surrogate's court.

Mr. Gwathmey, who was a bachelor, was a native of Washington, D. C., lived here at No. 28 West 46th street, was a member of the Prbduce Exchange, with offices at the Produce Exchange building at No. 233 Broadway, and was the New York representative of a Chicago brokerage house.

In his accounting the administrator—the decedent having died without leaving a will—shows that his uncle left exactly $3,307.78, all which have come into his hands, out of which he paid out $698.80 for funeral, administration and other expenses; $778.75 to various creditors, and $1,729.23 to five heirs, thus leaving a balance of $110 for further distribution.

HEALTH IS WEALTH

by John B. Huber, A.M., M.D.

Oh that this, too, too solid flesh would melt.—SHAKESPEARE.

Obesity

I HAVE received anxious inquiries as to how excess weight can be taken off. And yet why should fat people want to reduce? "Nobody loves a fat man!" Nonsense. Everybody loves a fat man. Good nature, jollity, eupepticism, oleaginous optimism constantly ooze from him to bless and permeate civilization. How cantankerous would we all be, especially in these trying times, without his abundant presence "in our midst."

The tendency to obesity is almost never successfully combatted, especially if there is a family temperament that way. Heft is indeed oftentimes reduced successfully enough; but generally not for long, and in many cases because the "sufferer" will not exercise the will-power to stay reduced, by keeping away from the flesh pots, and by keeping up the banting regime.

And now to speak quite seriously: There are some diseases of late life which depend on fat deposition in various organs, and against which the stout individual turned forty should certainly guard; excessive weight is then very apt to be associated with an increasingly high death rate. After two-score then, 15 to 20 pounds overweight should send one to a physician for an examination and advice—without which no reducing measures should be taken. Especially is this so regarding exercise. For the sudden throwing off of many pounds has resulted disastrously, especially in cases of fatty heart. One may, however, safely indicate the foods to be avoided by the obese. These are: Alcohol, especially beer; beer-fat is pronouncedly unhealthy fat. Also sugar, fatty meats and foods in general, milk as a beverage, potatoes, salmon, lobster, crabs, sardines, herrings, mackerel, pork, goose, nuts, butter, cream and water at meals. The meals should be light, regular and frequent, rather than at any repast the stomach should be overloaded. And the emunctories (bowels, kidneys and skin) should at all times be in good working order.

COAL TAR PRODUCTS.

W. M. C. writes: 1. Five doctors have told me, or said in my hearing that aspirin is harmless in reasonable doses. 2. At least two said it is a form of salicylic acid. 3. Other doctors say it is dangerous and that it is a coal tar product. Which is right? 4. What do you think of —— oil as a preventive or cure for constipation? 5. Is it wholesome to drink hot water before breakfast? 6. Does the addition of table salt help?

Answer: 1. Harmless in V grain doses every three hours for half a dozen doses, if necessary. 2. Its chemical name is Acetylsalicylic acid; they are right. 3. It is a coal tar product and dangerous in excessive doses, being especially bad on the heart. 4. The oils which you mention, all of which are proprietary products, are very helpful in the prevention or cure of constipation. But other measures are also necessary, as was explained in my articles on constipation in these columns and of which I am sending you copies. If the constipation is due to a "kinking of the gut," as from an old intestinal inflammation, no oils or anything else that is medicinal will be curative; the surgeon alone can then cure. 5. Yes. 6. No. It would be injurious if kept up. A normal salt solution (half a teaspoonful table salt to a tumblerful hot water is fine for gargling and cleansing out the nose and throat), but not for swallowing. Take a teaspoonful of potassium citrate in the hot water instead.

PAIN IN THE TOP OF THE HEAD.

Answer to F. R.: Your letter is too long to be printed here. You certainly have suffered greatly. A pain in the top of the head, with your other symptoms, invariably indicates trouble with the uterine or ovarian organs, perhaps uterine or ovarian colic. You must have suffered greatly when one of your children were born. I would advise you to consult a doctor skilled in women's diseases. Also to have the urine examined for indican; it is quite possible that such an examination will explain the dark rings around your eyes.

John B. Huber

This column is devoted to disease prevention; to physical and mental hygiene; to domestic, industrial and public sanitation; to the promotion of health; efficiency and long life. The latest developments in medical science will be presented. Questions of general interest will be answered here, space permitting—others by mail if stamped return envelope is enclosed. Requests for personal diagnosis or treatment cannot, however, be considered in any way.

TOMORROW: Taking on weight

SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell.

I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good.

I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together.

My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it."

Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlastingly tired feeling?

If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century.

Begin taking Cardui to-day. You won't regret it. All druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions* on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 124

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION AND NEW REGISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wilmington, by an ordinance duly adopted on the 26th day of April, 1916, called and ordered to be held in the City of Wilmington on Saturday, the 3rd day of June, 1916, a special election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said City an ordinance adopted by said Council on the 26th day of April, 1916, by which ordinance the tax ordinance of said City for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1917, and previously adopted by said Council, is amended, said amending ordinance fixing the total tax rate for said City for said fiscal year at $1.85 upon the one hundred dollars property valuation, and authorizing said Council to levy and collect as a part of the total rate aforesaid a special tax of 10c. on the one hundred dollars property valuation, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of improving and extending the water works system of said City, the purchase of additional fire fighting apparatus for the Fire Department of said City, the improvement of Princess Street in said City, and the establishment or creation of an industrial or manufacturing suburb to said City.

By said amending ordinance the propositions to improve said waterworks system and purchase for said Fire Department additional apparatus, the improvement of Princess Street and the establishment of said industrial or manufacturing suburb are provided to be voted upon separately.

The said Council has further ordered as provided by law an entirely new registration of the voters of said City for said election; the following named polling places have been designated and registrars and judges of election have been appointed for the holding and conducting of said election, namely:

First Ward Precinct—Polling place, Engine House, 4th and Campbell; Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, James Elkins, R. J. Darden, Sr.

Second Ward Precinct—Polling place, Court House; Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, D. H. Howes, Jr., W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward Precinct—Polling place, Giblem Lodge, downstairs; Registrar, L. H. Partin; Judges, H. E. Bonitz, Coy Hewett.

Fourth Ward Precinct—Polling place, McClellan's Stables; Registrar, J. B. King; Judges, T. D. Love, S. Zeigler.

First Division, Fifth Ward Precinct—Polling place, New Engine House; Registrar, J. E. Taylor; Judges, A. W. Branch, Thos. Lawson.

Second Division, Fifth Ward Precinct—Polling place, Old Engine House; Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, J. B. Fales, M. Marshburn.

Sixth Ward Precinct—Polling place, Mann's Store; Registrar, J. F. Mann; Judges, W. I. Holt, W. A. Woods.

Said election will be held between the hours of sunrise and sunset on the said 3rd day of June, 1916.

Each registrar will, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A. M. and 5:00 o'clock P. M., on each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for the closing of the registration books keep open said books for the registration of the voters in their respective precincts, and said registration books will be open from 9:00 o'clock A. M. until 9:00 o'clock P. M. on each Saturday during said registration period and shall be closed for registration on the 2nd Saturday before the 3rd day of June, 1916. No registration will be allowed on said election day except to such persons as shall give satisfactory evidence to the registrar and judges of election that he has become of the age of twenty-one years, or otherwise has become qualified to register and vote since the registration books closed for registration.

On the second Saturday before the election the registration books will be kept open at the polling places in the voting precincts for the inspection of electors and to enable challenges to be made to the right of any person to vote in said election whose name appears on said books, and if any person is objected to notice will be given him and a hearing granted, as provided by law.

The Council has appointed the registrars and judges of election as hereinbefore stated, and caused them to be notified of their appointment, and required them to take the oath required by law, and will cause to be furnished all necessary books and arrange for the ballots, and will fill all vacancies occurring either as to registrars or judges as provided by law, and will receive returns from said election as provided by law.

By order of the Council of the City of Wilmington.

THOS. D. MEARES,
ap30-td City Clerk and Treasurer.

BURETT H. STEPHENS
ARCHITECT
28-29 GARRELL BUILDING.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

CITY ELECTION IS NOT FOR ISSUING BONDS

Many Citizens Are Said To Have Misapprehension Of Purpose

There Are Four Propositions in City Elections and All of Them Are to Be Voted on Separately —Much Interest.

"Will you please say in your paper that the election called by City Council for next Saturday is not for the purpose of voting on a question of bonds but that it is simply to determine whether or not there shall be a slight increase in taxes made for the next four or five years for certain needed improvements and to provide for the city's participating in the underwriting of the proposition to build up a manufacturing suburb," said a member of Council to a Star man yesterday.

The question of bonds always presents somewhat of a bugaboo to the average voter and it has been reported in certain quarters lately that another bond issue was to be precipitated upon the city, if the voters didn't squelch it. Dr. J. Y. Joyner's story of the farmer who went to a circus and while the keeper wasn't looking killed one of the most valuable of the snakes in the menagerie is usually cited as a very good illustration of the moral antipathy of the average tax payer to a bond issue. When the keeper remonstrated with this legendary farmer that he had killed a very valuable snake, costing several hundred dollars in real money, the aforesaid farmer is reputed to have said, "I can't help it; I kills them wherever I sees them."

Something of the same spirit has been manifested by certain citizens in this vicinity in discussing the proposed "bond issue." However, it is not a question of bonds but a question of an increase of not more than ten cents on the hundred dollars for taxes for the next four years. This is pointed out very clearly in the order for the election and attention has been called to it by City Council in several statements to the voters.

"There is just one more thing I want you to call attention to," said the same councilmen, "and that is that each of the four questions—the manufacturing suburb proposition, the paving of Princess street, the extension of the waterworks system and the improvement of the fire department—are to be voted on separately."

The questions to be submitted to the people, therefore, do not mean that the tax rate will be increased ten cents if one or more of the propositions carry while the others are lost but only that it will be increased only enough to carry out whatever improvements may be decided upon by the people as desirable.

"May I call your attention to another thing," said the city official, "and that is that the election is not a political one but simply a business proposition. The City Council stands heartily in favor of making Wilmington one of the foremost cities of the South and in order to have this accomplished believe that certain improvements should be made. However, there is not sufficient money in the treasury and they cannot be secured without an increase of a few cents in the tax rate to justify undertaking them. So they have put it up to the people."

One of the propositions that stands peculiarly on its merits as a business proposition, pure and simple, is that of building up an industrial suburb. The underwriting of this proposition with the city accepting one-fourth of the responsibility has been endorsed by the leading business men as a sound proposition.

Those who have studied the question carefully declare that in their opinion the city will never have to pay out any money for the suburb but that at the outside it will not undertake the responsibility for more than $40,000. By simply guaranteeing the payment of that much money, it is stated, it makes it possible to borrow money on the credit thus extended which it ought to be easily possible to pay back within a short term of years. By giving away half of the 500 acres of the tract on the northeast side of the city for manufacturing sites, ideally located, the supporters of the undertaking believe that the value of the other half would be sufficiently enhanced to more than pay back the first purchase price of $150,000. They point out that in the Eastern suburbs of the city that lots are now selling for a hundred times their cost ten years ago. This "unearned increment," about which students of political economy discourse so much, is well known to all observers of conditions. The promoters of this enterprise for building up an industrial suburb that will aid in putting life and energy into the city have pointed out repeatedly that the proposition is simply one of using the unearner increment for helping the people of the entire city instead of putting it in the pockets of a few men and declare that this ought to be altruistic enough to suit the most fastidious.

There are a good many objections advanced to the proposed scheme of underwriting, one being that no big factories can be brought to Wilmington when the Western part of the State offers such great advantages in the way of water power or electricity generated by water power at practically no cost. This argument is answered by those standing for the upbuilding of the city that other advantages here are such as to offset this.

As the day for the election approaches, the interest is increasing and it is expected that there will be a heavy vote. The questions are being discussed and the citizens are endeavoring to get all the information available in order that they may vote intelligently at the polls.

DISTRICT R. F. D. CARRIERS TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.

Will Assemble in Convention Here This Morning at 11 O'Clock

Delegates from New Hanover and six adjoining counties, comprising the Eastern Carolina district of Rural Free Delivery Carriers, will assemble in Wilmington this morning at 11 o'clock for their annual convention.

Many problems which confront the carriers will come up for discussion, and in addition there is much business of a routine nature to be handled. One of the most important features of the annual meeting will be the election of officers for the ensuing term.

The present officers are: S. L. Bradshaw, president, Rose Hill; E. J. Ward, vice president, Winnabow; J. W. Russ, secretary, Wilmington; J. C. Jerome, chaplain, Rose Hill; C. F. Mathews, chairman organization committee, Watha.

HALF HOLIDAY FOR STORES

Practically All Mercantile Firms Agree to Give Employes Half Day a Week for Recreation.

Practically all the mercantile establishments of Wilmington have agreed to give a half day each week during the summer months to their employes for recreation, believing that this will greatly increase their efficiency as well as proving a great blessing.

The majority of the clothing, dry goods, millinery, jewelry, shoe and book stores of the city have agreed to close each Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock for the remainder of the day, beginning with next Friday and continuing until September 1st. It has already been the practice for a number of years with the hardware and paint stores to close each Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock while the real estate offices have been cloisng on Friday afternoon. Some of the stores have been observing half holidays on other days.

There are still several stores expecting to close on Friday afternoons who have not as yet formally signed the agreement. It is expected that the movement will be extended to include practically every store in the city and that it will have the result of making Friday afternoon a general holiday for those who cannot very conveniently get away on Saturday afternoon. This is in line with the policy in the larger cities of the country. It has been found to be a sound business policy that has been endorsed by such great merchants as John Wanamaker. Wilmington in stepping in line is but following the general practice of other progressive cities.

The following stores have agreed to close each Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock for the remainder of the day from June 2nd to September 1st: A. D. Brown, Honnet's, A. O. Schuster, G. W. Huggins, C. H. Fore & Co., French Millinery Shop, Goodman's Ready-to-Wear, H. S. Schiller, R. C. Platt, G. Dannenbaum, The C. W. Polvogt Company, The Little Art Shop, W. R. Hartsfield, C. W. Yates & Co., James W. Northam, J. W. H. Fuchs, Geo. O. Gaylord, M. Warshauer, Belk-Williams Co., Mrs. C. W. Leighton, J. Weil, L. W. Davis, George W. Penny, Shrier & Solomon, Munson & Co., The A. David Company, J. M. Solky & Co., I. Shrier, Wilmington Shoe Company, Boylan & Hancock, C. F. Strunck, George S. Neven and Southerland & Weaver.

The above list does not include those closing on Saturday afternoon nor those who have not as yet made formal announcement of their intention to close on Friday afternoons.

MISS PEIRCE'S TRAINING SCHOOL CLOSED LAST WEEK.

She Expects to Re-Open With Same Management in October.

Miss Peirce's training school, No. 218 South Third street, closed its first year's work last week with a large attendance and most creditable results on the part of the children, the first in the State to be taught by these play-to-a-purpose methods. Miss Peirce has proven beyond a doubt that the child between four and six years is more eager to learn than probably at any other age. She believes that children at this age should have the most careful supervision in order that these two most impressionistic years should be conserved and made the foundation for the development of his mental, physical and spiritual being.

Miss Peirce has several four and five-year-old children who have learned to read, spell and use the typewriter since Christmas. But this, she says, is merely incidental with the training as the main object the first year with her will be character development and the cultivation of an intelligent grasp of facts through nature studies, stories of animals and plant life, songs of inspiring deeds, historic rhymes, memory gems, dramatization of great poems and living facts.

Miss Marie Plowden has had charge of the music department and in connection with this has made history and geography attractive through a half hour's singing each day. All these children have learned many songs in French, Latin, German and Esperanto as their ears and tongues catch sounds and accents more readily at this age than ever again.

Madam Hatchell has done splendid work in conversational French with these little folks. This is the only language except English taught in conversation as Miss Peirce believes it wiser to give the others in song simply as memory work. Miss Peirce states that next year parents will be allowed to choose between French and Spanish for their children with a guarantee at the year's end that the pupils will have a speaking knowledge of whichever language they are taught.

Miss Susie Brown secured admirable results in her department of eurythemics and number work. The visitors and mothers were also much attracted by the children's drawings of star fish and animals which they have been taught to observe. Miss Atha Hicks has made this department very attractive to the children.

The management of the school promises even better things next year as facilities will be enlarged and double the number of pupils admitted as during the past year.

NEGRO GETS 60 DAYS

On Roads in Default of Fine—Other Cases Before Recorder.

At yesterday's morning's session of the Recorder's court, the chief sufferer was Frank Davis, colored, who was given a term of 60 days on the county roads in default of payment of a fine of $5 and costs on an assault charge.

Other cases disposed of were those of George Evans, colored, charged with burglarizing another negro's house on Castle stret, which was continued: Jim Brown, colored, charged with violating the prohibition law, not guilty; Hunter Jenkins and Charity Murphy, both colored, charged with violating the prohibition law, state takes nol pros with leave; Moses Bryant and Henry Lloyd both aged 11 years and colored, charged with riding bicycle without bell paralled in custody of mother and employer, respectively; J. C. McDonald and Kinsey Hobbs, charged with affray, judgment suspended upon payment of the costs.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday in the office of the Register of Deeds: W. A. Dick, trustee, to Aaron Goldberg, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Carolina Court; Manhattan Company to J. L. Wells, for $50 and other considerations, lot on north side of Queen street, 99 feet west of 17th, 33x80 feet in size; Manhattan Company to Martin Tindal, for $15 and other considerations, lot at Fernside park; John R. Hanby and wife to T. J. Baird and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot 165 feet south of Dock and 150 feet west of Ninth on the east side of James street, 33x55 feet in size.

CONGRESSMAN GODWIN DEFENDS HIS RECORD

Made Three Speeches In Wilmington Last Evening

Brass Band Dispenses Patriotic Music at Each Place Pending Speaker's Arrival—County Candidates Active Yesterday.

Congressman H. L. Godwin defended his record in Congress for the past ten years in three addresses to Wilmington voters last evening, declaring that he stood squarely upon what he had accomplished without apologies to anybody. He was greeted with applause at each of the places where he spoke. The first address was made at 7 o'clock at the Delgado store, where nearly 100 voters had gathered. From this point Congressman Godwin went to Fifth and Castle streets in the Fifth Ward, where he spoke to fully 300, and proceeded from there to Fifth and Brunswick streets in the First ward, where he addressed several hundred men.

Congressman Godwin made the trip from one point to another in quick succession in an automobile, his coming in each instance being preceded by the Delgado brass band, which dispensed patriotic music pending the speaker's arrival. The burning of bon fires at Fifth and Castle streets gave to the surroundings an aspect suggestive of the good old days of political campaigning.

Senator George H. Bellamy, of Brunswick county, an ardent supporter of Mr. Godwin, introduced the speaker at Delgado; Mr. Walter G. MacRae introduced him at Fifth and Castle streets. Congressman Godwin spoke from the automobile while the crowd gathered around him. He will leave this morning for Harnett county and stated last night that he did not expect to return to Wilmington before the primary Saturday. In his address to the voters last night he said that on account of limited time he could only touch open the different questions he would like to discuss with them but that he would return later in the summer and give a full account of his stewardship.

Claude C. Cashwell, Esq., addressed the voters of Delgado later in the evening in behalf of Major Joseph W. Little, New Hanover's candidate for Congress, and was given a cordial reception. Following Congressman Godwin's address at Fifth and Brunswick streets last night, Recorder Brooke G. Empie made a short address to the voters in which he declared that he was standing by his record and that he had endeavored to administer the duties of his office fairly to all concerned.

Congressman Godwin in his addresses last night summed up the arguments of his opponents as being principally that he had been in Congress long enough, that he had never accomplished a great deal and that what he had done could have been done just as well without his having been in Congress. He declared that the arguments against his being returned to Congress could be adduced against any Congressman in any district in the United States.

He pointed to his part in securing the new Custom House building in Wilmington, his efforts to secure a 30-foot channel for the lower Cape Fear river and the successful launching of the project for securing an eight-foot depth of water at Fayetteville all the year round. In discussing the question of wheather or not a man should be kept in Congress for a number of terms, Congressman Godwin stated that he wanted to leave himself out of consideration in making his argument. He pointed out the importance of having a man of experience in Congress. This office should not be one to be given to satisfy a personal desire on the part of some man, he said, but to the man who can best serve his constituents. He maintained that it is only by long service that a man can render the best service in Congress.

Congressman Godwin pointed out that he had stood with the Democratic administration in carrying out its policies for advancing the nation's interest and alluded briefly to the many big achievements, such as the passage of the Underwood-Simmons tariff law, the Federal Reserve act, the Rural Credits bill, which he had actively supported, the bill providing for Federal aid for good roads, and a number of others.

ST. THOMAS'S SCHOOL.

Commencement Exercises Held Last Night Were Largely Attended.

The fifth annual commencement exercises of St. Thomas's school, held last night at the Academy of Music, was largely attended by friends and patrons of the school.

The exercises which included an address by Rev. Father Bour, were most creditable to the institution. The programme included an operetta, "The Tyrolean Queen," and several musical numbers by the students. Diplomas were awarded to the following: William Henry McGee, Rosa E. Blackwell, Margaret E. Harrell and Marion L. S. Hill.

BEANS BEING SHIPPED

Sales in Philadelphia Yesterday at $3.00 to $3.50 per Basket.

Beans are now being shipped by New Hanover truckers in considerable quantities and prices are regarded as very satisfactory indeed. Philadelphia sold yesterday morning at $3 to $3.50 per five-peck basket, which is much better than was expected earlier in the season. Beans require no refrigeration and those shipped by freight are loaded into th eordinary box car and forwarded by fast freight. Two carloads were shipped out of the Wilmington territory Saturday morning and another car was being loaded by Masonboro growers at Delgado siding yesterday afternoon.

MINISTERS HOLD MEETING

Rev. W. V. MacRae Reads Paper on 'Pastoring the City."

In a paper read yesterday morning at the meeting of Wilmington Ministers' Association held at the Y. M. C. A. at 10 o'clock, Rev. W. V. MacRae advocated the dividing up the city into districts, so that a pastor may look after all the people in his district who are not affiliated with any church.

An interesting discussion of the paper followed, the subject of the paper being, "Pastoring a City." Following the meeting the ministers engaged in a game of volley ball in the gymnasium. Rev. J. A. Sullivan presided at the meeting.

CAMPING IN MOUNTAINS

Southern Railway Issues Most Attractive Booklet About Western Carolina.

The best book on camping in the mountains that has been issued for many a day is now being distributed by the Southern Railway. This book is called "Camping on Mount Mitchell," and tells mostly about camp life in the National Forests, which have, within the last few years, been created by the United States government.

The book contains an interesting letter from Col. H. S. Graves, Chief Forester, U. S. Department of Agriculture, addresses to Mr. W. H. Tayloe, passenger Traffic manager, Southern Railway, Washington, D. C., which starts out with this very interesting statement:

"I am very much interested in the development of the Appalachian National forests for recreational purposes. The enjoyment of the public of the National forests for all sorts of outdoor recreation is recognized as one of their important uses and ample regulation exists for the purpose of facilitating this use to the fullest extent."

In addition to a number of pictures of camp scenes and information as to camp life the booklet just how to arrange for a camp trip, both as to supplies, clothing, food and necessities of all kinds, and the approximate cost of these things.

There is a map of the Mount Mitchell National Forest showing all trains leading from the railway stations to Black mountain, Mount Mitchell, Graphiteville, Asheville, N. C., also mountain trails and roads.

Summer camp life is a popular form of recreation in Eastern Colorado, in the Adirondack mountains, and also in the mountains of California, but has not been taken up to any very great extent by the people in the South. The object of the U. S., Forest service and the Southern railway is to bring the advantages of the National forests in Western North Carolina to the attention of the people in the warmer sections of the South as an important item of outdoor life, which is so generally accepted in modern times as one of the best avenues to health.

CAPT. C. S. RIDLEY GONE TO INSPECT HARBOR OF REFUGE

Improvement at Cape Lookout Which is Being Rapidly Constructed.

Capt. C. S. Ridley, of the office of the United States engineer here, left yesterday morning for Cape Lookout where he will inspect the Harbor of Refuge breakwater which is being constructed at the rate of about 27,000 tons of stone a week. The building operations are fairly simple at this stage and consist of merely dumping the stone, some of which weigh seven tons, into about 20 feet of water where the breakwater wall is being built. The government is spending at the rate of $54,000 a month for the stone alone. The construction work was started about eight months ago, and will probably be 16 months more before it can be completed.

More than $8,000,000 worth of shipping and 88 lives have been lost in the vicinity of Point Lookout and Cape Hatteras during the past ten years, owing to the terrific gales which visit that section of the coast in bad weather. Mariners who make the trip down to Wilmington after the Harbor of Refuge is completed will not attempt to pass Cape Hatteras, the worst point for gales, in bad weather after the breakwater is built. Instead, they will weigh anchor behind the breakwater and wait till the storm subsides.

The breakwater is being built on the west side of Cape Lookout and is located about two miles inshore from the point of the cape. The height of the breakwater above mean low water is eight feet; it is 20 feet broad at the top and considerably broader at the base. When completed it will be about 7,000 feet in length and will partially inclose Lookout Bight or Bay.

MISS ALDERMAN'S SCHOOL HELD SUCCESSFUL CLOSING EXERCISES

Yesterday Morning With Award of Diplomas to Students.

The Wilmington Select School, of which Miss Mary L. Alderman is principal, held its closing exercises yesterday morning with the presentation of medals to high-stand pupils and the award of diplomas to those finishing their course.

Thursday evening the Sunbeam Club will give their annual play at the Academy of Music, a part of the proceeds from which will be presented by the club to the Boy Scouts of the city.

Miss Gladys Jones was awarded the Thomas Payne Bagley medal for having made the best average during the term. Excelsior medals were awarded to Misses Lillian Carpenter, Genelle Green, Kathleen Green, Sallie Bell Canady and Master Edward Therian. Perfect attendance was the record made during the school year by Robert Carter, Kathleen Green, Genelle Green, Julius Canady and Edward Therian. The greatest progress in penmanship during the year was made by James Holden, and Edward Therian didn't miss a single word in spelling.

MR. ISAAC JARRETT DEAD

Passed Away Yesterday Morning at Home on Middle Sound.

Mr. Isaac Jarrett, 79 years old, passed away yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at his home on Middle Sound. Mr. Jarrett leaves besides his widow, two daughters, Mrs. William Shepherd and Mrs. Major Watkins; a son, Mr. Strauss Jarrett; and a brother, Joseph Jarrett; all of whom reside at Middle Sound. The funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the residence and interment will follow at the family burying grounds.

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CIVIL SERVICE POSITIONS

Several Examinations Will Be Held in Wilmington at Early Date.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces several examinations to be held in Wilmington and other cities throughout the country in the near future for positions in the government service at good salaries. Most of these are for technical positions, requiring special training.

An examination for assistant examiner in the patent office is announced for June 7, 8 and 9 inclusive. The usual entrance salary is $1,500.

An open competitive examination for salvage superintendent to fill a vacancy at Norfolk, Va., and other vacancies as they may occur will be held on June 20. The salary is from $4 to $6 a day.

On June 21 the following examinations will be held: Apprentice draftsman and photographer, at a salary of $900 a year; translator-tariff assistant in the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at a salary of from $1,200 to $1,400 a year; assistant biologist in the Bureau of Biological Survey at a salary of $1,600 a year; assistant physicist in the Bureau of Standards at a salary of from $1,400 to $1,800 a year.

On June 27th an examination will be held for clinical director in the government hospital for the insane at Washington at a salary of $2,000 a year. An examination on the same date will be held for general mechanic at a salary of $720 a year.

On July 5 an examination will be held for assistant sanitary engineer at a salary of $1,600 a year.

SERVICES FOR MR. COWAN

Funeral Was Held Yesterday From Residence—Interment at Oakdale.

The funeral of Mr. David Stone Cowan, who died Saturday at Savannah, was held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. W. G. Pulliam, of this city. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton, rector of St. James' church. Interment was in Oakdale cemetery. Mrs. A. B. Hull, of Savannah, a sister of Mr. Cowan and Mrs. H. G. Garrison, of Camden, S. C., were here to attend the funeral.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Walter Rutland, George F. LeGrand, Clarence LeGrand, Robert C. James, S. C. Pulliam, and D. C. Hull, of Savannah.

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Women's Black Cotton Fabric Suits $1.25
Women's Black Mohair Suits, $1.69 to $5.95
Women's One Piece Jersey Knit Suits, with Skirts, at . . . . . $3.50 to $8.50
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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Estelle Thomas is visiting friends in Raleigh.

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Miss Julia Jennings Rich, of Warsaw, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Harriss.

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Mrs. C. C. Williams has returned from Greensboro, where she has been visiting.

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Mrs. H. F. Wilder has returned from Birmingham, Ala., where she visited relatives.

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Mrs. C. D. Jacobs, who has been visiting in Birmingham, Ala., has returned home.

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Mrs. A. H. Creasy has returned from Orlando, Fla., where she has been visiting relatives.

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Miss Mary Claire Peterson has returned to her home here from Meredith College in Raleigh.

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Miss Kate Styron, of the High School faculty, left yesterday afternoon for her home at Newbern.

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Miss Beatrice Donkle has returned from a visit to friends in Greenville, S. C., and Birmingham, Ala.

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Miss Marie Plowden left last evening for Richond, Va., where she will spend the summer with her parents.

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The Epworth League of Fifth Avenue Methodist church will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the church.

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Miss Nettie J. Fleming, a member of the High School faculty, left yesterday for her home in Greensboro for the summer vacation.

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Miss Isabel Gulley, a member of the High School faculty, leaves this week for Wake Forest, where she will spend the summer vacation.

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Mrs. J. Bun Fearrington, of Raleigh, and Miss Mildren Sharpe, of Burlington, are the guests of Mrs. M. L. Ballance, No. 208 South Second street.

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The ladies of St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral will give a benefit card party and dance at Over-Lake pavilion at Greenfield lake this evening.

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Mrs. R. P. McClammy and her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Fillyaw, returned from Wilson yesterday after spending several days with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huntington have moved into their newly-built home at Winoca. The residence which is a very attractive one is colonial in design.

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Miss Lillian Allen of the High School faculty, has gone to Bellhaven to spend a few days before going to Waynesville to spend her summer vacation.

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Miss Frederica Jenkins and Miss Ethel Wood, of the High school faculty will leave this week for their homes in Raleigh and Newbern, respectively

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Miss Elizabeth Louise Peatross, of Richmond, Va., is the attractive guest of her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Peatross, at their home at Sunset Park.

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Miss Emma Martin, of the High School faculty, will leave this week for her home at Gallatin, Tenn., but after a short vacation will return here to tutor classes at the High school.

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The Ontonola Camp Fire Girls will give a lawn party this afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock and lasting until 10 o'clock tonight at the residence of Dr. J. H. Dreher, No. 807 Princess street.

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The many friends of Mrs. Trabue Barksdale will be grieved to learn that she has been called to Camden, S. C., on account of the passing of her beloved mother, Mrs. Hessie L. Thomson.

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Cards reading as follows have been received in the city: "Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamer announce the marriage of their daughter, Janie, to Mr. Neill McInnis on Wednesdy, June 7, 1916, at Maxton, N. C."

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Miss Grace Logan, who for the past two years has been the efficient teacher of domestic science in the Wilmington High school, left last night for her home in LeRoy, N. Y., where she will spend the summer.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of Dock Street Christian church, will give a moonlight trip down the Cape Fear river Thursday evening, June 1. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited to go.

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Mr. George Parmele left here yesterday for New York, after spending several weeks with his family in this city. From New York Mr. Parmele will sail for Buenos Aires, Argentina. Mrs. Parmele, formerly Miss Adela de Escota, of Costa Rica, will remain here for some time, and later join her husband.

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There will be a missionary meeting of the Junior Epworth League of Fifth Avenue Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Sunday school room and Miss Lolita Ellis will be the leader. All the members of the Junior League are especially urged to be present.

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The Parish Guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd will hve a "Silver Tea" at the home of Mrs. Ike Burriss, No. 615 South Fifth avenue, on Friday evening, June 2nd, at 8:30 o'clock. A silver offering will be received at the door. The Croom Quintette will furnish music for the occasion. The proceeds will go to the church. All are invited.

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The closing exercises of St. Mary's school will take place at the school building on Fifth avenue, between Orange and Ann streets on Wednesday, May 8th, at 8 P. M. The programme will include a musical play entitled "Midsummer Eve" by the girls and a minstrel show by the boys. A very enjoyable evening is promised to all who attend.

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The Brotherhood Bible class and the R. A. Brand class of the First Presbyterian church will give a social in the church parlors this evening at 8:30 o'clock in honer of the members recently received into the church. While special invitations were sent to the new members, it is expected that all members of the church, who can do so, will be present. A pleasant evening is promised all who attend.

LOCAL DOTS

—Subscribers to Tileston Topics, the Wilmington High School magazine, can secure the commencement number at Yates' after tomorrow.

—Mr. L. T. Henderson, the credit man who is assisting the business and professional men of this section in getting up a correct credit report on everybody who buys on credit, with a view to incorporating the reports in The Credit Experience Guide, is highly pleased with the co-operation he has had from the business and professional men of New Hanover, Columbus and Bladen counties. More than 300 have already subscribed for the Guide, he states, and are furnishing the ratings of their customers to whom they extend credit. Through the publicity of this work, those who have extended credit have reported splendid results in collecting old accounts. Mr. Henderson and his assistants will organize for the business and professional men of Sampson county this week.

PEDESTRIANS ARE OFF TODAY ON FAG END OF LONG HIKE.

Called Upon Mayor Moore Yesterday, and Were Received Kindly.

William Ferreri and Frank DeLuca, who are making a circular walking tour of all the border states of the Union, will be off this morning at 8 o'clock on the last lap of their 14,000-mile trip. From Wilmington they will walk to Norfolk via Goldsboro, and thence by way of Richmond, Baltimore and Wilmington, Del., to New York City, where a club will award them $5,000 if they arrive within the time limit set. They expect to reach there well within the time limit.

Accompanied by their faithful dog, Prince, they called upon Mayor P. Q. Moore yesterday morning and were kindly received by him. Mayor Moore found their dog, who wears glasses and a little red cap, very interesting, and he expressed the hope that they will be successful in their undertaking. The two men have stood the hardships of their trip very well indeed and appear to be in excellent health. Owing to the limited amount of supplies they can carry, they state it costs them about $1 a day for food.

Since they started on their tour they have each worn out eight pair of shoes and 29 half soles and heels. One of the men has worn out seven pairs and the other six pairs of trousers since August 14, 1914, when they left New York. They expect to be back at their starting point this coming August.

STATE EXAMINATION FOR NURSES

At Winston-Salem Was Taken Yesterday by Two Local Graduates.

Two Wilmington graduates of the James Walker Memorial Hospital Training School, Misses Louise Livingston and Mattie Lee Cutchin, took the State examination for nurses at Winston-Salem yesterday, and if they pass, will become regularly registered nurses.

Miss Lois Toomer, of this city, secretary of the examining board, will remain until the close of the meetings of the North Carolina Trained Nurses' Association, which is in session there. Miss Livingston will return directly to this city, but Miss Cutchin will spend a short time at her home at Scotland Neck before returning to Wilmington. More than 100 graduate nurses took the examination.

WINS DEBATE AT COLLEGE.

Mr. Kenneth Otten, of This City, is Awarded Medal.

Friends of Mr. Kenneth Otten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Otten, of this city, will be pleased to learn that he recently won the debate for his literary society, the Demosthenean, at Roanoke College, Salem, Va., and was awarded the medal offered the winner.

Mr .Otten was a member of the 1913 class at the Wilmington High School. Before going to Salem, he spent one year at the University of North Carolina. He will return to Wilmington for the summer vacation the latter part of June.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to take this means of extending our sincere and heart-felt thanks to our many friends who so kindly extended help and sympathy in the recent illness and subsequent death of our beloved brother, Mr. Theodore Biddle. Their kindness in this hour of sorrow will always be remembered.

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SAYS CUTTING PRICES IS MENACE TO TRADE

W. B. Holland Addresses Meeting At Chamber of Commerce

Representative of American Fair Trade League, of New York, Speaks in Interest of Stephens-Ashurst Bill.

Mr. W. B. Holland discussed "Truth in Trade and Advertising" before a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday at noon. Mr. Holland represents the American Fair Trade League of New York and has been addressing commercial bodies for several weeks in the interest of the Stephens-Ashurst Bill. He left last night for Washington where hearings will be held today by the House committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce which has the measure in charge.

"The Stephens-Ashurst bill is an effort to put into concrete form the principle of the square deal," declared Mr. Holland. "It is in line with the modern idea of business, the idea that merchandising is not an effort on the part of one man to get the better of another but is the rendering of a necessary service for a legitimate profit. It is the Golden Rule in business.

"One of the growing evils of merchandising is the cut price system. It is seen when a mrechant takes a standard, advertised article and sells it at cost or below for the purpose of drawing a crowd into his store and with the intention of conveying the impression that all other articles are sold at a corresponding low price. That this impression is false is perfectly clear when one remembers that a merchant must make a profit, must sell goods for more than he pays for them or he will fail. So that when one article is sold at a loss some other article must be sold at a correspondingly high price to maintain the necessary average profit.

"The consumer does not benefit by the cut prices because what he saves on one article he loses on nother. And the merchant who marks one article down and another up is usually more enthusiastic in marking them up than he is in marking down.

"Cut prices have always been the weapon of monopoly. The Standard Oil Company created its monopoly by cutting prices in any town where an independent refiner tried to do business and at the same time raising prices in other towns to make up the loss. Because of this pernicious system of killing competition many states passed laws requiring manufacturers to sell goods in all towns in the state at the same price with only such variations as were necessary to equalize freight rates. Cut prices in merchandising are now being used by the so-called "chain stores' and by mail order houses and big department stores to kill small merchants and small towns. Already chain department stores have been started and if they are permitted to follow their accustomed tactics they will ultimately kill small retailers and the largest store in Wilmington are small when compared with the stores of New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston."

Mr. Holland briefly described the main features of the Stephens-Ashurst bill. It will permit the maker of any article sold under a trade mark or a special brand to register the brand in Washington and to file with it a schedule of prices at which the article is to be sold at wholesale and retail. These prices must be uniform to all under the same circumstances and the manufacturer will not be permitted to register any article on which he has a monopoly. Merchant who find they have unsalable articles in stock and who wish to discontinue them may offer them to the manufacturer for redemption at the full price paid and if the manufacturer neglects or refuses to redeem them then the merchant may sell them at any price he pleases.

"There is nothing compulsory about the bill," said Mr. Holland. "It is purely permissive. If a merchant does not want to make the contract he can sell some other article of the same character which is not registered and if he breaks the contract and cuts the price of a branded article he has not committed any criminal act, he has merely broken a contract and is subject to a suit for damages the same as if he had broken any other contract."

Mr. Holland explained that cut prices have the tendency to drive the article sold at cut price out of the market. The public gets the impression that an article sold at a cut price was never worth the price at which it was advertised and other merchants will refuse to handle goods on which there is no profit. In that way the manufacturer's business is damaged and he is unable to effect the saving due the production in large quantities, a saving in which the public shares.

"The automobile business has made great strides in recent years," said Mr. Holland, "and these strides have been possible because the automobile manufacturers have been able to maintain their prices and have been able to increase their output to a figure at which the utmost economy is reached. These economes have proved a distinct advantage to the consumer because the cheapest car sold today is better than the highest-priced car of five years ago. The same principle will apply to all articles from breakfast foods to talking machines."

Mr. Holland is a native of North Carolina. He was born near Goldsboro, being a son of Mr. West Holland, who was register of deeds of Wayne county just after the War Between the States. He spent his boyhood in Kansas but for 25 years has been in the newspaper business in Chicago, New York and other large cities. About 15 years ago he ran a newspaper for a short time in Durham. He has numerous relatives in Wayne county.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—The many friends of Mr. G. W. Huggins will be sorry to learn that he is ill at his home in this city.

—Archdeacon Thos. P. Noe, of this city, returned yesterday from Whiteville, where he conducted services on Sundya.

—Mr. J. S. Williams, who has been confined to his home for a few days on account of illness, was able to be out again yesterday, his friends will be glad to know.

—Mr. L. T. Henderson, representative of the "Credit Man's Guide", has returned to the city after spending a week at Trenton with his sister, Mrs. W. J. DeBruhl, who is seriously ill.

—The many friends of Mr. John J. Furlong, superintendent of streets, who has been confined to his home for severla weeks on account of illness, will be glad to know that he is able to be out again. He hopes to be entirely well within a few days.

—Mr. Harold Wolf, who has been a student at the University of North Caralina during the past session, is at home to spend a couple of week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wolf, after which he will go to Lancaster, Pa., where he will spend the summer with his sister, Mrs. W. H. Diehm.

—Friends of Mr. R. B. Greene, who was formerly with the local Western Union office, will be glad to learn that he is now commercial agent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, with headquarters in Atlanta, Ga. His territory includes the States of Georgia and Florida.

—Among the arrivals yesterday at the Imperial hotel were: C. E. Reeves, Mount Olive; O. L. Barnes, Wananish; G. C. Bishop, Currie; J. C. Newsum, Sloop Point; C. L. Cotton, Southport; W. S. Pace, Mount Airy; P. S. Porter Kelly.

SABBATH SCHOOL PICNIC

Of Temple of Israel Will Be Held at Carolina Beach Thursday.

Members of the Sabbath school, Congregation Temple of Israel, will hold their annual outing Thursday, June 1, with a basket picnic at Carolina Beach. It is expected that more than 50 members of the Sabbath school will go down the river of the steamer Wilmington which will leave her dock at the foot of Princess street at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning. Friends of the members of the school and the congregation will be made welcome. The children are looking forward to a most enjoyable day on the river and at the beach.

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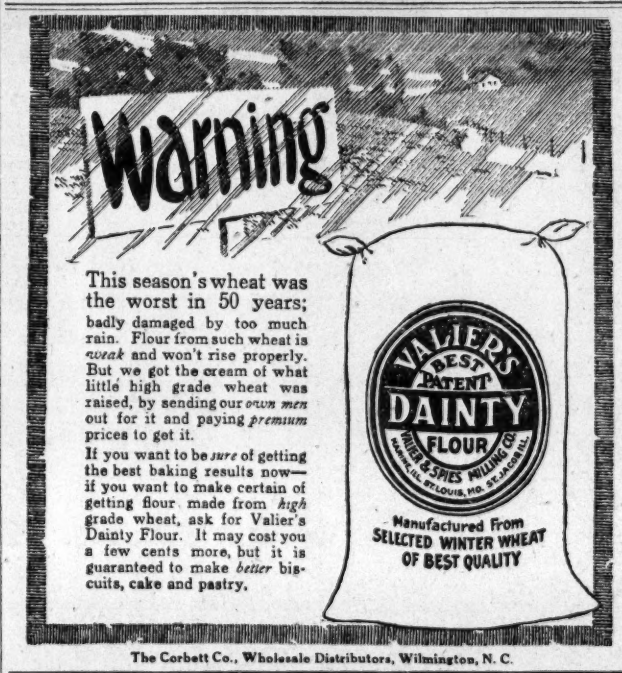
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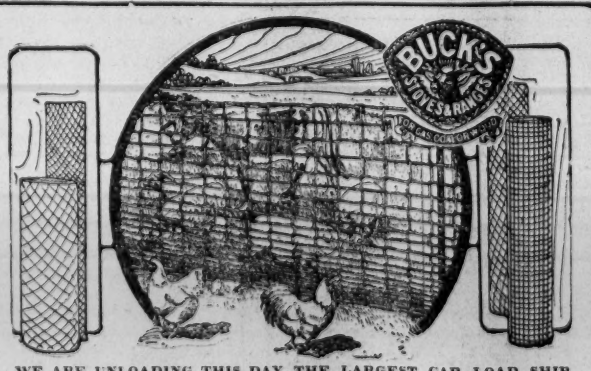

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THEATRICAL

Rex Beach's greatest achievement "The Ne'er Do Well" in Selig's greatest film achievement, a ten-act version of this wonderful story, coming to the Royal for two days, next Friday and Saturday is the greatest achievement of all filmdom during the present year so far. It is even greater than Beach's "The Spoilers." Its flights of sweet romance are higher—its depth of dastardly intrigue are blacker—its action and its risks and dangers are more overwhelming.

The greatest "Spoilers" cast enhanced by the presence of beautiful Kathlyn Williams, makes "The Ne'er Do Well" the greatest assemblage of stars ever seen in a photoplay production. Everyone who has read the book can recall the fevered interest taken in it right from the very first chapter and through until the end. The interest was excited not only by the red-blooded exploits of the hero, but in a greater degree by the unfamiliarity of the scenes amid which the action takes place. It conducted the reader through an unexplored field. The photoplay was filmed on the exact spots covered by the book, in Panama, with its soft tropic beauty adding much to the charming photoplay which you can sit through for two hours and a half without becoming in the least tired. That in itself is an accomplishment only reached before by one production, which was "The Birth of a Nation."

Edna May Thursday.

Edna May, erstwhile dazzling "Belle of New York,' has emerged from her retirement in London and crossed the Atlantic for the purpose of starring in a single production for the screen, "Salvation Joan," the most elaborate Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature ever filmed in seven great reels, for which she is to receive $100,000 and then go back to her home in London.

"Salvation Joan" is a story of society, the Salvation Army in the underworld, and the workings of the American Secret Service—a tale of gold and poverty, of beauty and love. And a few years in the lap of luxury has sharpened Miss May's faculty for portrayal. Marguerite Bertsch in "Salvation Joan" has written a story with a true heart throb, a story that gives Miss May splendid opportunities to portray life in surroundings that are not strange to her.

And the supporting cast includes Vitagraph's very biggest stars—every one of them of the first dimension. Witness: Harry Morey, L. Rogers Lytton, Dorothy Kelly, Bobby Connelly, Don-

DOROTHY KELLY
Supporting Edna May in Vitagraph's Great Seven-Reel Epectacle "Salvation Joan."

ald Hall—everyone of which has starred in great feature productions. There are scenes that stir, others that move; and there is more than one that will drop a tear at the finished portrayal of a highly sympathetic role by Miss May. This seven-act spectacle is Thursday's big feature at the Royal.

Herbert Rawlinson at Bijou.

Handsome Herbert Rawlinson, "The Beau Brummel of Universal City," is co-star with pretty Agnes Vernon, "Brownie" they call her out at the film city, in a great two-reel romantic drama, "The Mark of a Gentleman," heading today's big bill at the Bijou.

You'll be surprised even to think of anyone mistaking Herbert for anything but a gentleman, but you see he took a job as athletic instructor—teaching a lot of tired business men how to reduce and improve their wind, so, of course, Agnes' papa couldn't see him socially—at first. Herbert sprung a little surprise, though, that puts a corking climax into this bully picture which will tickle you al over in spots at the same time. Beautiful little Miss Vernon is at her best, and she is just now getting to the point where she can portray real emotion on the screen. You just see her today and decide for yourself.

The eleventh great episode of "Graft" the serial superior is also on today's bill. It's a corker and don't you forget. Pretty Jane Novak, with Harry Carey and Hobart Henley, do one of the best acting of their whole career in today's installment of "Graft."

Leah Baird at Grand.

Beautiful Leah Baird, long one of idom's most notable stars and one the most beautiful women on the reen, co-stars with Leo Delaney in a great three-reel IVtagraph Broadway feature at the Grand today entitled "The Way of the Transgressor," a feature photo-drama that is among the strongest three-reel productions ever put out by the Vitagraph company in America.

"The Way of the Transgressor," placing Leo Delaney in a sinister role, depicts the rocky road which befalls the transgressor after he has traveled his way as long as God intends to allow such. It's a feature throbbing with heart interest and the true human interest pathos of this feature has been equalled in few feature productions of this length. Miss Baird in the leading feminine role reaches the climax of her dramatic interpretations and reaps new laurels by her forceful interpretation of the difficult role entrusted to her. It is a feature that everyone should see.

"Mr. Fuller Pep" is a great Powers Comedy that contains a laugh to each square inch. Then there's an extremely educational feature, "Some Monkey Stars" showing the noted trained monkeys at Universal City in action. It's a great bill for five cents at the Grand today!

"The Ruling Passion" Royal.

Oriental coloring lends a pleasing effect to "The Ruling Passion" a great six-act William Fox photoplay supreme, which is today's big feature at the Royal, one of the few Fox features which are so replete with thrills and action that five reels was insufficient to tell the story, necessitating the making of a spectacular six-act feature.

"The Ruling Passion" stars beautiful Claire Whitney. Youth is written in every line of the delicately beautiful face of this distinguished and talented dramatic star. To be more exact youth is written in round hand, for Miss Whitney's fetaures and face contain no lines. She is one of the most youthful beauties on the screen. Co-starring with Miss Whitney is William E. Shay, one of the mainstays of the Fox institution, one of the screen's strongest dramatic stars. It is a powerful story they have to portray in "The Ruling Passion" hence the placing of the leading roles in these capable hands.

"The Ruling Passion" was staged in beautiful Jamaica, by Herbert Brenan, who also staged the million dollar Annette Kellerman feature soon to be released, and the tropic beauty of these islands, as well as the oriental splendor of the backgrounds, make this one of the most elaborate Fox features of the year.

NOVELLA CHASE COMMITTED TO THE CASWELL TRAINING SCHOOL

Found to Be Afflicted With Pyromania —Started Many Fires.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., May 29.—Novella Chase, the 13-year-old girl who started more than a score and a half of fires in seven days' time in the home of her father, T. W. Chase, a farm tenant, and who was arrested after she had burned down the home of a brother-in-law living nearby, today is an inmate of the Caswell Training school—the State institution for the feebleminded near here. She is to undergo treatment for the mania which impelled her to attempt to destroy with fire everything around her.

Novella Chase, who is an apparently normal little farm girl, on May 20 started her career of incendiarism. Four or five articles, including beds, garments in closets and bureaus, a calendar on a wall, etc., were burned that day. On each of the following five days from three to ten blazes occurred. Farmer Chase almost went insane; he admitted it. His family of eight or ten persons were kept running from one room to another for hours on end. Old women and darkies of the neighborhood had their fill of sensation. Intelligent persons from Kinston who investigated the situation concluded that some unexplained chemical agency was responsible.

Chase never suspected his children. Others did, however, and the two oldest single girls, pretty Lavinia, 17, and Novella, were watched. On Friday morning Novella visited the home of her brother-in-law, a short distance away. She was alone in the house for a time. It was burned to the ground while the brother-in-law and his family were in the fields.

The two girls were brought to jail here. The older one was almost prostrated with grief. Physicians and a state insurance expert examined both. All agreed that Novella was insane on the one subject of pyromania. She was seen searching for things on a mantelpiece in the jail. Needless to say, no matches were left within her reach. Lavinia Chase was sent back to her home, and the fires have ceased since Novella left there.

BITUMINOUS COAL MINERS REJECT NEW WAGE SCALE

Fifty Thousand Will Strike, It is Said. Stormy Session Held.

Pittsburg, May 29.—The convention of bituminous coal miners from District No. 5, United Mine Workers of America, in a stormy session here today by unanimous vote, rejected the wage scale recently signed in New York and adopted a resolution providing for the election of a committee which will confer with operators in this district in an effort to obtain a new agreement. As a result of this action practically every mine in the Pittsburg district will be closed indefinitely. Fifty thousand miners will be affected.

The miners were granted an increase of 5 per cent in wages but they pointed out that the new scale provided for an increase in rents and in the cost of power, caps and coal to the men which it was asserted amounted to approximately 15 per cent.

DURHAM HAS $12,000 FIRE

Two Firemen Injured Fighting Blaze of Sunday Night.

Durham, N. C., May 29.—Fire in the O'Brien building here late last night caused damage estimated at $12,000 and the slight injury of two firemen. Chief Christian of the fire department was injured on the head by falling ceiling and Captain C. H. Turner, of Hose Company No. 2, sustained a crushed foot. The fire originated in the Hightower & Goodwin photograph studio, totally destroying it, practically ruining the stocks of the Womble Machine agency and damaging adjoining stores.

FLYING BOAT DEMOLISHED.

Plunges Into Water, Bounces 20 Feet in Air and Falls Sidewise.

Newport News, Va., May 29.—A Curtiss flying boat, driven by John Birdsell, a student from Albany, N. Y., was demolished late this afternoon when the machine plunged into the water, bounced 20 feet in the air and fell sidewise into Hampton Roads as the result of a bad landing. Birdsell and Ted Hequembourg, riding with him, escaped with a few minor bruises and scratches.

Birdsell was making his final tests and had just executed a series of figure eights. Birdsell and Hequembourg were rescued by aid of another flying boat which reached the scene of the accident a few minutes later.

MAJORITY FOR HUGHES.

New York Delegation Lined Up for Associate Justice.

New York, May 29.—A majority of the New York delegates to the Republican National convention favor the nomination of Justice Hughes for president, accordin gto a statement given out tonight by Frederick C. Tanner, chairman of the Republican state committee and delegate at large.

Newport News, Va., May 29.—The American steamer Charles F. Mayer is due to leave here tomorrow morning towing a sugar laden barge for Havre, France. The Mayer arrived here today from Baltimore. Shipping men say that this will be the first time in history that a steamer has left Hampton Roads to tow a barge across the Atlantic.

MAJOR MOTON'S WIFE IS EJECTED FROM A PULLMAN

Upon Complaint of White Passengers Husband Advised Differently.

Montgomery, Ala., May 27.—The wife of Major Robert R. Moton, new president of Tuskegee Institute, was ejected from a Pullman car at Troy, while en route back to Hampton, Va. She and Blanton Moton, brother of Major Moton, secured Pullman berths at Montgomery. Between Montgomery and Troy, Ala., the white passengers made objections and an officer was called when the train stopped at Troy. It was held while the couple were moved forward to the regular negro car to the front of the train and the rest of the night was spent in that coach.

Major Moton stated today that he had specifically advised against trying to travel in a Pullman, but he presumed, if the Troy report is true, that some one else had advised differently when they reached Montgomery.

Newport News, Va., May 29.—Congressman and Mrs. Steele, of Iowa, and a party of friends this afternoon inspected the Atlantic coast aeronautical school located here. In the party were Captain W. S. A. Smith, of the United States Agricultural Bureau; Dr. Vrooman, of Oxford University, England, and two secretaries. The party today also inspected Hampton Normal Institute.

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—Pitcher Howard, southpaw, of the Greensboro club, today pitched a no-hit, no-run game against the Raleigh club of the Carolina League. Greensboro won 4 to 0. Only four extra batters faced him.

Wonderful Skin and Wrinkle Remover

The method of removing bad complexions by absorption seems to have come into general use in this country. Ordinary mercolized wax, applied nightly like cold cream and washed mornings with warm water, gradually absorbs the coarse, faded or discolored outer film skin in almost invisible particles. Soon there's a brand new complexion, formed by the younger, healthier under-skin. No cosmetic or artificial treatment can possibly produce a complexion of such radiant, youthful loveliness. Druggists all have mercolized wax; it is seldom that more than one ounce is necessary.

Thousands have also reported great success with the famous saxolite wrinkle-removing formula. One ounce of pure powdered saxolite is dissolved in a half-pint witch hazel and the solution used as a face wash. The effect is almost magical. The deepest wrinkles and crow's feet, as well as the finest lines—whether due to age, illness, weather or worry—are immediately affected. No one need hesitate to try this simple lotion, as it won't harm any skin.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS.

To the High School pupils who need coaching for class promotion, Miss Emma L. Martin, of the High School, wishes to say that she will return to Wilmington about August 17th, to coach them. Subjects: Latin, Mathematics, English History. Miss Martin can be communicated with in the meantime at Gallatin, Tennessee.—adv.
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Thursday Night, June 1
PUBLIC SPEAKING
FRONT AND MARKET STREETS
AT 8:15 BY
JOSEPH W. LITTLE
Candidate for Congress
Will Speak at 5th and Castle Streets
Wednesday Night, May 31st.

FOR RECORDER
JOHN J. FURLONG
The many friends of Mr. Jno. J. Furlong respectfully present him to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, trusting that he will receive a generous support at the approaching Primary Election.
In asking for the support of the voters of this county, we feel that we can safely refer to the record heretofore made by Mr. Furlong in this office. We are sure that should he be elected to this responsible position he will temper the justice of the law with mercy to offenders, and yet so administer the duties of the Court as to preserve the peace and dignity of the community, and afford full protection to all citizens.

CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE
All Chauffeurs Are Notified That Licenses Expire on the 31st Day of May 1916.
Please Renew Same Promptly and Avoid Annoyance
N. J. WILLIAMS, Chief of Police

Excursion Fares
FROM WILMINGTON
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

To	Via All Rail.	Via Norfolk.
WASHINGTON	$16.00	$16.00
BALTIMORE	18.00	17.00
PHILADELPHIA	22.80	22.80
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BOSTON	—.—	30.50

Tickets on sale every day until Sept. 30, good to stop over; limited returning until Oct. 31.

$37.25 Lafayette, Ind.
Account National Convention Travelers' Protective Association. Tickets on sale June 2, 3 and 4; limited returning until June 14.

$32.20—Chicago, Ill.,
Account Republican National Convention and Progressive National Convention. Tickets on sale June 2, 3, 4 and 6, limited returning June 22.

$35.55—St. Louis, Mo.,
Account National Democratic Convention. Tickets on sale June 9, 10 and 11, limited returning June 25.

$7.30—Chapel Hill, N. C.,
Account Summer School University of N. C. College. Tickets on sale June 12, 13, 14, 15 15, 17 and July 3 and 10; limited returning August 1.

$22.30—Philadelphia, Pa.,
Account Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. Tickets on sale June 22, 23 and 24, limited returning until June 5.

$10.15—Ashland, Va., and $10.35—Charlottesville, Va.,
Account Summer School, University of Virginia. Tickets on sale June 18 to 26, inclusive; limited returning 15 days after date of sale, except that tickets sold to Ashland may be extended to September 30 by depositing same and paying $1.00.

$18.80—Chattanooga, Tenn., and Lytle, Ga.,
Account National Military Training Camp at Ft. Oglethorpe. Tickets on sale May 1, 2, 3 and 31; June 1, 2 and 3, and July 2, 3, 4 and 5; limited returning until about one month and five days after date of sale. See Agents for particulars.

$14.80—Baltimore, Md.,
Account Grand Lodge Elks (B. P. O. E.). Tickets on sale July 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9; limited returning July 19.

$30.05—Buffalo, N. Y.,
Account Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Imperial Council. Tickets on sale July 8, 9 and 10, limited returning until July 28.

$20.50—Cincinnati, O.,
Account International Rotary Clubs' Convention. Tickets on sale July 14, 15 and 16; limited returning until July 25.

$20.25—Nashville, Tenn.,
Account Peabody College Summer School. Tickets on sale June 12, 14, 15, 16, 19 and 24; July 22 and 24; limited returning until 15 days after date of sale.

$10.90—Savannah, Ga.,
Account Grand Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Tickets on sale August 12, 13 and 14; limited returning until August 31.

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CHICAGO, ILL. $32.20
On sale June 2, 3, 4 and 6th; limited returning midnight June 22nd.
ST. LOUIS, MO. $35.55
On sale June 9, 10 and 11th; limited returning midnight June 25th.
ROCK HILL, S. C. $8.90
On sale June 12, 13, 16, 28, 29 and 30; limited returning midnight July 31st.
BALTIMORE, MD. $14.80
On sale July 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9th; limited returning midnight July 19th.
CHAPEL HILL STATION, N. C. $7.30
On sale June 12 to 17th, and July 3, 10th; limited returning midnight August 1st.
ASHEVILLE, N. C. $14.05
BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C. $14.05
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C. $14.05
HICKORY, N. C. $10.85
EDGEMONT, N. C. $12.85
PINEOLA, N. C. $10.30
LENOIR, N. C. $11.85
Tickets on sale Daily until October 15th, limited returning Midnight October 31st
LAKE JUNALUSKA, N. C. $12.55
WAYNESVILLE, N. C. $12.55
On sale July 9 to 14; July 21 to 24, inclusive; July 28 to August 1, inclusive; August 6 to 9, inclusive; limited returning midnight, July 26, August 17 and 28th.
BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C. $9.90
RIDGE CREST, N. C. $9.90
On sale June 5, 6, 15, 16, 26, 27, 29 and 30th; July 6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21 and 28; August 1, 4, 14, 15 and 22nd; limited returning midnight 17 days after date of sale.
NASHVILLE, TENN $20.25
On sale June 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 24; July 20, 22 and 24th; limited returning 15 days from date of sale.
ASHLAND, VA $10.15
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. $10.35
On sale June 18 to 26th; limited returning 15 days from date of sale; tickets can be extended payment $1.00.
CINCINNATI, OHIO $20.50
On sale July 14, 15 and 16th; limited returning Midnight July 25th.
VICKSBURG, MISS $36.75
On sale June 12, 13 and 14; limited returning midnight June 22nd.
KNOXVILLE, TENN $15.70
On sale June 18, 19, 20, 24, 25 and July 1, 2, 8 and 15th; limited returning midnight 15 days following date of sale.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL $92.70
On sale June 8 to 15; July 22 to 29; limit two months.
PORTLAND, ORE $94.95
On sale June 8 to 15; July 22 to 29, inclusive; limit, two months.
SAVANNAH, GA $10.90
On sale August 12, 13 and 14; limited returning midnight, August 31st.
BUFFALO, N. Y. $30.05
On sale July 8, 9 and 10; limited returning midnight July 23rd.
PHILADELPHIA, PA. $22.30
On sale June 22, 23 and 24; limited returning midnight July 5th.
LYTLE, GA. $18.60
(Near Chattanooga), and return, account National Military Training Camp at Fort Oglethorpe. Tickets on sale during April, May, June, July and August. See ticket agent for limits and other information.
For further information call Phone 178, City Ticket Office, Orton Hotel Building.
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NOTICE
TAX LISTING

The undersigned Tax Listers will be at the Court House daily during the month of May, (Sundays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., for the purpose of taking tax lists.

Your early attention to this duty will save both yourselves and us time and trouble.

Listers for Harnett Township will be at the Court House May 26th to 31st inclusive.

Listers for Cape Fear, Federal Point and Masonboro will be at the Court House May 30th and 31st.

B. F. KING,
WALTER RUTLAND.

NOTICE

It is our pleasure to endorse for the office of County Commissioner of New Hanover County Mr. Addison Hewlett, of Masonboro Township.

Mr. Hewlett is a successful farmer and a good business man: intelligent, honest, conservative, and respected in his community. The affairs of the County should be managed by men of his character.

Respectfully,
M. S. WILLARD,
W. L. PARSLEY,
Wilmington, N. C.
May 27th, 1916.

FOR SOLICITOR

To the Democratic Voters:—

I herewith place my name before you as a candidate for the office of Solicitor of New Hanover County. If elected by our citizens to the important office of Solicitor, I shall deem it an expression of public confidence, an honor to me and a public trust, and it will be my constant aim to faithfully discharge the duties thereby imposed, in full keeping with the spirit and the letter of the law. In asking for your support, I am placing my record as a public official before you for close scrutiny and impartial investigation. What a man has done is the best evidence of what he may be expected hereafter to do. My record as police commissioner is the fullest assurance that I stand for the firm and fullest administration of the criminal law. Under no circumstances, if elected, will I unduly favor a friend or persecute an enemy. I have no ties, alliances or associations that will or can in any manner influence me in the discharge of a public trust and duty. I ask especially for the support of those citizens who believe in the fair, just, equal and firm administration of our criminal laws. W. F. JONES.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, in the Primary Election to be held June 3rd, 1916.

I shall endeavor to serve you as efficiently in the future as I have in the past. Respectfully,
ap20-45t* JOHN HAAR.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby place my name before the Democratic voters of New Hanover County as candidate for County Commissioner, in the primary to be held June 3d, 1916, promising, if elected, to perform the duties of Commissioner to the best of my ability.
ap23-42t WM. E. WORTH.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner in the Primary election, June 3rd, 1916. W. E. YOPP.
ap23-40t

VOTE FOR
R. A. WRIGHT
-: FOR :-
COUNTY COMMISSIONER

EDWIN THOMAS BURTON
FOR
COUNTY SOLICITOR
New Hanover County

FOR
County Commissioner
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FOR SHERIFF
Geo. C. Jackson

To the Voters of New Hanover County:

My name will be presented for your consideration at Primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd.

GEO. C. JACKSON.
ap16-49t

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned begs the privilege of placing before you once again his candidacy for Sheriff, to be voted upon at the primary, June 3rd. I seek this honor at your hands, standing upon my service of the past many years, and will appreciate deeply your support, promising at all times to make faithful returns of duty and to have an eye for the welfare of the entire community.

Respectfully,
ap8 to je3 S. P. COWAN.

R. C. Fergus for Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County. Subject to the will of the voters to be expressed in the primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd, 1916, if elected will endeavor to serve all the people to the best of my ability without control of any person or persons. Your support and influence will be appreciated.
ap 22-t-je-3. R. C. FERGUS.

FOR SHERIFF.

The undersigned again respectfully makes formal announcement of his candidacy for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover county, subject to the will of the qualified voters in the forthcoming Democratic primary, that he is making a clean race therefor, and that if nominated and elected he promises to discharge the duties of said high office without fear or favor and will appreciate the votes and active support of all his friends and others who have faith in his integrity and believe the time is ripe for a change.
my10-td JAMES N. FENNELL.

FOR SHERIFF.

I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County, and respectfully solicit the kind consideration and support of the voters at the Primary on June 3rd.

Be sure to see that you are registered, and vote for

Yours truly,
ap16-30t JOS. H. WATTERS.

FOR RECORDER
BROOKE G. EMPIE

I herewith present my name to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, to be voted on at the primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

It will greatly gratify me to have all my old friends' support and I will thank them for any efforts in my behalf in getting some new friends to aid them in nominating me for the office.

Let lawyers interpret the law.
ap14-20t BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR RECORDER
NEW HANOVER COUNTY
J. FELTON HEAD.

To the Voters:—

In exercising the privilege of placing before you my name as a candidate for the office of Recorder of New Hanover County, to be voted on at the Primary to be held June 3rd, 1916, I beg also to assure you together with the entire public that it shall be my earnest endeavor to promote and administer the functions of that office to the end that the benefit for which the people created it shall be completely and materially realized.

Your support will be appreciated.
Respectfully yours,
J. FELTON HEAD.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

Relying upon a continuation of that good feeling, support and co-operation which the people, as a whole, have uniformly extended to the Board of Commissioners, and which has made possible whatever progress has been attained for the upbuilding of our county, I announce myself a candidate for Commissioner and will appreciate your support in the primary election on June 3rd. W. A. McGIRT.
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ADDISON HEWLETT FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the will of the Democratic Voters in the Primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

If elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office.
ADDISON HEWLETT.

For House of Representatives
North Carolina General Assembly
L. CLAYTON GRANT

D. L. BOYD

Democratic Candidate for Corporation Commissioner of North Carolina.

D. L. Boyd, of Haywood County, Democratic candidate for Corporation Commissioner, the man who presents himself for the consideration of the Democratic voters of the State upon his experience and ability and peculiar knowledge of the duties of a corporation commissioner. He has had more than twenty-five years' experience in actually building railroads, and has an intimate knowledge of the values of land, public utility properties, and theories of taxation.
ap28-37t

The Fascinating Flare Reveals Its Secrets

The Latest - A Light Skeleton Hoop Fashioned of Net, Ribbon and Featherbone

The Crinoline Girl of 1916

Clinging Negligees have no Part in this Years Modes

A Resilient Facing makes Soft Silk Stand Out Crisply

Twenty and Thirty Yards of Filmy Fabric in New Dance Frocks - Peplums, Panniers, Umbrella Pleatings, Panels and Capes Aid "La Ligne" In the 1916 Silhouette - Modern Hoops Fairy-like Affairs.

by Hester Winthrop

THIS fetching, floating, fairy-light silhouette of the moment—how is one to achieve it in the home sewing room?

That is the burning question just now with thousands of ambitious home dressmakers—and other dressmakers who claim for themselves a measure of professional skill. For unless the flare conveys an impression of floating lightness, of tripping daintiness, it is a failure. And when one realizes that from ten to thirty yards of material must go into that engaging flare, the problem becomes still more serious; for something—just what one must discover—will be required to support all the yards and yards of fabric in the light and floating effect so desirable. Without such support, the great quantity of fabric will fall limply back upon itself in lines—graceful enough to be sure—but then limp and clinging lines do not happen to be the fashion!

Woman's Walk Changes With Her Skirts.

The flaring silhouette has accomplished a definite change in woman's carriage. She walks differently, stands differently and sits differently. The languorous, drooping pose which attended limp, narrow skirts has disappeared and femininity now stands erect and upon both feet—and moves daintily and blithely instead of with a gait expressive of nervous exhaustion. This is something to thank the flaring silhouette for, truly!

But this has nothing to do with the how of the flaring silhouette—which is the question we are immediately interested in at the moment. For one thing, there are hoops. Not the clumsy arrangement of wires and straps which distended petticoats back in the sixties, but quite adequate hoops for all that. One of the illustrations shows a light skeleton-hoop for wear under a dance frock or a lingerie frock whose fabric is too airy for the light weight resilient facing of stiffening fabric that may be inserted in a costume of silk or serge. This hoop, you perceive, is not only a hoop; it is also a farthingale, the looped attachment at the hip distending the skirt sideways while the circular hoop at the bottom holds out flounces prettily from the ankles. The actual hoops are lengths of featherbone, a lighter weight being used in the farthingale attachment. These strips of flexible bone are run under shirred casings in white wash net, the shirred edges of the net forming a dainty puff which softens the line of the hoop under a sheer frock. Eight narrow white ribbons suspend the circular hoop from a ribbon belt and the farthingale is sewed three of the ribbons at front and back, short strips of ribbon catching the sides of the farthingale together to make the extending loop at either hip. This hooped device is so light that one scarcely knows one is wearing it, and the net and flexible featherbone crush easily into a chair, making it much easier to sit down than in the sixties, when one had to proceed as carefully in attempting a sitting posture as does the family dog when he walks round and round the spot in which he has elected to lie down.

The negligee petticoat is worn over a net and featherbone skeleton-hoop like the one pictured, except that there is no farthingale attachment at the hip. The petticoat is one of the new models, all fluttering little frills from edge to belt. It measures five yards around at the foot and one may compute for her own satisfaction—or discouragement—the amount of chiffon pleating necessary to make eight or nine flounces on this flaring skirt. The frilled sacque of chiffon is also stiffened mysteriously—so it appears for the filmy chiffon seems to stand out from the figure all by itself, appreciably adding to the floating effect of the negligee costume. Tubular featherbone cording, hollow and made of fine horsehair, was used to give this chiffon sacque its beautiful airiness.

Organdies Seem Starched But Are Not

Milady's "white muslin" donned for the afternoon seems to be as stiffly starched as ever her great-grandmamma's was; but as a matter of fact there is not a particle of starch in it. For some reason or other starch—that humble instrument of the laundress—is under the ban as far as feminine garb is concerned. A starched frock or blouse or petticoat always seems to convey the impression of commonness and cheapness and fabrics are so cobwebby fine these days that one dreads to think what would happen if starch did become fashionable. But there is a certain suggestion of starchy crispness in the lingerie frock of organdie or tucked batiste which flares quite as monstrously as the dance frock of tulle or the tailored skirt of mohair, or worsted material. The dainty lingerie dress of hand-tucked batiste measures eight yards around and all this material—for tucking must be done on straight, ungored breadths—is shirred into the belt. Most of the fullness is pushed to the sides and at the center front and back rows of shirring hold the skirt down trimly over the hips. This full skirt is worn over a white silk petticoat also very full and trimmed with rows and rows of lace frills; and under the petticoat is a dainty contraption known as a bobbinet-hoop. This is a petticoat made of fine white bobbinet and run with three very light featherbone hoops, each hoop being hidden under a frill of the bobbinet.

The tucked lingerie frock just described shows another feature of the flaring silhouette—the tight-fitted bodice. It was inevitable that trim waistlines should come back into fashion as soon as skirts began to spread out. How else, was a thick and clumsy effect to be obviated? Woman must reveal the secret that she is slim somewhere; if skirts are tight it is all very well for bodices to be loose and baggy, but if skirts billow out and entirely disguise slenderness or enbonpoint, then waistlines must be made to prove that slenderness is there indeed. The revelation of a slim ankle is not enough—for all the flaring skirts show slipper or buttoned boot to utmost advantage—but ankles do not always prove slenderness of figure; as everyone knows many stout, middle-aged women have tiny feet and slim little ankles; so the responsibility of proving a graceful, girlish figure under all the billowy skirt flounces devolved upon the waistline and forthwith bodices became tight and trim. Even draped bodices are draped over girdles made of crinoline with supporting stripes of featherbone, and some bodices have actually seams and darts boned underneath like the tight-fitting waists of the seventies and eighties.

Resilient Stiffening Used Under Soft Silks.

While hoops are usually used to distend transparent frocks, the best results are achieved in costumes of silk, worsted, pongee, linen or other non-transparent fabric, by facings of some stiffening fabric of light, resilient character. The desired attribute for such a stiffening is that it shall be crushless, springing back to its original resilience after being sat upon, crowded into a theatre seat or packed in a trunk. Otherwise it could not perform its duty: that of holding the lines of the costume exactly as the dressmaker intended them to be. The gay little crinoline maid pictured, tripping along with her parasol raised, wears a very modish frock of printed taffeta distended by a deep facing of resilient fabric in the skirt.

Paris Favors the Farthingale Effect.

Many of the couturiers allow the edge of the skirt to fall limply but distend the hips in exaggerated manner. This effect is shown in two illustrations. One is a Premet frock of silver lace and ciel blue taffeta. The fitted girdle of blue taffeta is embroidered with silver roses. The Breton, apron and the flounces over the hips are supported lightly by facings of stiffening fabric. The other frock, by Jenny, is of saffron colored taffeta with appliqued rose embroidery in tea-rose and pale pink shades. The skirt is lifted at either side in simulated farthingales which reveal a suggested petticoat of cream net and silver lace.

Hoops are seldom worn under the tailored suit of serge, broadcloth or mohair and worsted mixture. A facing of resilient stiffening under skirt, peplum or cape collar gives much the better effect in lines.

Latest Paris Models Accentuate the Flare at the Hips

WASHABLE KID BOOTS MEET WOMAN'S APPROVAL

THE other day a young woman wearing a fairy-like pair of speckless white buttoned boots, tripped blithely across a muddy street to join some friends. "Oh, my dear," remonstrated one of the other women. "How could you wade through that mud in those beautiful shoes!" The owner of the white boots laughed. "Why, a sponge and a little water will clean them off as easily as a slate! One never has to worry about them a bit—they're washable kid, you know." Only a few years ago washable chamois gloves were brought out to be a boon to womankind, and now there are washable kid boots and pumps which may be made as dainty and spotless as when new in the wink of an eyelash. Truly the labors of woman are being lightened and also the expense of dressing attractively, for kid—that most beautiful and satin-smooth-fitting fabric—could only be cleaned a few years ago by a bath in ill-smelling naptha or a visit to the dry cleaner's. No messing with sticky pastes or liquids when one whitens one's footwear now; no smearing of sole and heel with unsightly daubs that must be wiped off later; one applies plain water with a little sponge and—presto! one's tall, smart buttoned street boot, or slim dancing slipper, or sturdy sport oxford, is white as drifted snow.

Waving Tresses for Waveless Heads

ONLY the woman who has struggled, through all kinds of weather, with lank tresses that refuse to fluff and insist upon gathering themselves into spiky wisps, can truly appreciate the incalculable blessing of curly hair! The wavy-headed one goes blithely and placidly on her way, taking for granted in a manner that is maddening to straight-locked sisters, her enviable fluffiness and waviness, in weather damp or dry, in sea mists and sea spray that make the straight-locked one unpresentable, and in breezes and in gales that make the straight-locked one look like a witch.

The trouble is, that only an expert art can imitate the effect of nature. Wavy hair that "grows so" really waves very little, the undulations are subtle and they never change. Artificially curled hair is usually curled too tight, or the waves are uneven, lumpy, or worse still—frizzy. Very few women can wave their own hair satisfactorily and even the professional marcel-waver is apt to achieve a result that is depressingly stiff and rigid until forty-eight hours or so have taken the edge—so to speak—off the crisp ridges. Some heads of hair wave more easily than others; a good deal depends on the quality and the texture of the hair, its coarseness or fineness, the amount of oil in it and the condition of the scalp. Very fine, limp hair that becomes oily soon after a shampoo, takes on a kinky, frizzy wave which may disappear entirely in a damp breeze or after being slept upon overnight, and such hair must be curled often—much to its detriment—if the wavy effect is sought after by its possessor. Life during the summer months, to such an unfortunate, is a period of slavery to curling iron or "kids." The constant wearing of a hat, with consequent heating of the head, takes an artificial wave out of the hair very quickly and many women who wear a sport hat continuously in summer, even at luncheon hour—a practice encouraged by custom and fashion just now when a hat may be worn, for no matter how beautiful a transformation it is, or how costly, the time will come, sooner or later, when someone will discover it, and then, woe to its wearer, for every other woman in that community will have the secret within twenty-four hours.

Each woman must experiment and find out for herself what sort of curlers produce the best effects in her own case. Thick, not too fine hair, takes well to wire or metal curlers, which make finer, silky hair, frizzy and harsh. Kid or "rag" curlers are better for soft, fine hair, and rather thick locks should be rolled around the curler to make big, soft waves. The hot iron does no harm to the hair if it is not too hot; but most irons are too hot, for women have not the patience to use them correctly. If heated over a gas flame the iron should be carefully wiped free of soot before being applied to the hair and the heat tested on a bit of tissue paper. Irons that scorch white paper will certainly take the life out of the hair. Much better use an iron not quite so hot and hold the twist of hair around it longer. Haste in curling the hair makes a pretty enough wave for an hour or so, but the wave soon straightens out again. Hold each twisted lock over the iron while you count thirty and you will keep your wavy tresses several hours longer. And twist each lock between the fingers before you wind it around the iron; this makes a much more natural, and a more enduring wave.

The metal curlers make a very pretty, loose wave, but it would be torture to wear such contrivances at night. Few women do disfigure themselves with night curlers any more for the hair may be waved in an hour during the morning, while one potters about the house, and the curlers hidden under a becoming boudoir cap. The business woman may wear her curlers for an hour before going to bed, and a soft silk nightcap will protect the waves.

Water-waving the hair is a tedious process, but the result is a soft, very natural wave and a fluffiness that makes each hair stand up from the parting as naturally wavy hair does. After the shampoo the hair is partially dried and then white tapes or ribbons are bound around the head and the hair pulled carefully up in puffs between. Then the locks are dried in the sun or by fanning.

How the water-wave is accomplished by means of ribbons tied around the head after the shampoo.

A clever hairpin curler which imparts a soft wave while one dusts the parlor of a morning.

—cover the straight natural hair with a wavy transformation from morning until dinner time. The wavy transformation makes a becoming frame for the face and cannot be detected under the shady brim of a sport hat. Before dinner, when one dresses for the evening, the transformation may be discarded and the natural tresses brushed and waved for the evening coiffure.

A transformation should never be resorted to, however, except for hours

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON MARKET VERY QUIET

Prices Fluctuate Within Range of 10 Points—Close Practically Unchanged.

New York, May 29.—The cotton market was very quiet today and prices fluctuated within a range of 10 points. Tomorrow will be a holiday here, while Liverpool and New Orleans will remain open. October sold at 12.83 early, but rallied to 12.93 and closed at 12.90 with the general list closing steady net unchanged to two points higher. Six private crop reports were issued during the day ranging from 77.4 to 82.1 as to condition, and giving estimates of increased acreage which ranged from 7.8 to 10.5 per cent. as compared with last year. The acreage of the six was 79.9 per cent. comparing with the official ten-year average of 79.8 per cent. and an increase of about 9 per cent. over last year. After opening at a decline of 5 to 8 points, the market steadied on Liverpool buying and covering for over the holiday. Scattering liquidation and some local selling carried July contracts off to 12.71 and December to 13.00. Otherwise there was very little pressure. July sold up to 12.80 and December to 13.10 during the middle of the afternoon or about 2 to 4 points net higher. The slight closing reactions were attributed to realizing. Liverpool reported a larger spot business, but very small spot sales were reported in the Southern markets.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	12.73	12.80	12.71	12.79
October	12.85	12.93	12.83	12.90
December	13.01	13.10	13.00	13.07
January	13.05	13.13	13.05	13.13
March	13.19	13.26	13.22	13.27

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12.90; sales 800 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 12.63; receipts, 2,641; exports, 23,641; sales, 385; stock, 267,961.

Galveston—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 2,651; exports, 10,767; sales, 217; stock, 193,807.

Mobile—Middling, 12.63; receipts, 519; stock, 26,702.

Savannah—Middling, 12.75; receipts, 941; sales, 35; stock, 139,197.

Charleston—Middling, 12½; receipts, 355; stock, 61,221.

Wilmington—Middling, 12¼; receipts, 488; stock, 70,013.

Texas City—Receipts, 144.

Norfolk—Middling, 12.63; receipts, 1,154; sales, 62; stock, 80,302.

Baltimore—Stock, 2,908.

Boston — Middling, 12.90; receipts, 243; exports, 870; stock, 8,100.

Philadelphia—Middling, 13.15; stock, 1,419.

New York—Middling, 12.90; exports, 2,931; sales, 800; stock, 218,306.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 15,064; exports, 15,220; stock, 17,660.

Total today—Receipts, 24,200; exports, 53,429; stock, 1,087,596.

Total for week—Receipts, 33,241; exports, 61,140.

Total for season—Receipts, 6,996,306; exports, 4,940,857.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 1,966; shipments, 2,631; sales, 263; stock, 72,264.

Memphis — Middling, 13.00; receipts, 925; shipments, 2,986; sales, 900; stock, 123,904.

Augusta — Middling, 12.63; receipts, 62; sales, 78; stock, 94,831.

St. Louis—Middling, 12½; receipts, 441; shipments, 889; stock, 14,186.

Cincinnati — Receipts, 2,740; shipments, 2,845; stock, 10,047.

Little Rock—Middling, 12.88; receipts, 240; shipments, 940; sales, 940; stock, 21,751.

Dallas—Middling, 12.50.

Montgomery—Middling, 12.37.

Total today—Receipts, 6,474; shipments, 10,291; stock, 336,983.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, May 29. — Cotton, spot, steady; good middling, 8.68; middling, 8.58; low middling, 8.32; sales, 12,000; for speculation and export, 2,000; receipts, 4,000. Futures, steady. May, 8.30; May-June, 8.22; June-July, 8.17½; July-August, 8.14; August-September, 8.17; September-October, 7.97; October-November, 7.86; November-December, 7.79½; December-January, 7.77; January-February, 7.74; February-March, 7.72; March-April, 7.70½; April-May, 7.69; May-June, 7.67.

COTTON SEED OIL.

New York, May 29.—Cotton seed oil advanced in face of the weakness in hogs products, owing to buying by refiners, demand from shorts and very light offerings. Final prices were 5 to 7 points net higher. Sales, 9,400 barrels. Closed, firm. Spot and June, 10.90 bid; July, 10.82@10.90; August, 10.86@10.90; September, 10.87@10.90; October, 10.05@10.07; November, 9.32@9.33; December, 9.19@9.21; January, 9.20@9.30. Total sales, 9,400.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, May 29. — Turpentine, firm, 38¼@38½; sales, 260; receipts, 369; shipments, 542; stock, 9,929.

Rosin—Firm. Receipts, 811; shipments, 3,487; stock, 55,955. Quote: A, B, 4.60; C, D, 4.70; E, 4.70; F, G, 4.80; H, 4.90; I, 5.00; K, 5.10; M, 5.20; N, 5.30; W G, 5.50; W W, 5.60.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Initial Fall Followed by Steadiness, but Little Doing.

New Orleans, May 29.—After an initial fall of 6 to 8 points on the good weather may, the cotton market was steady today but acquired something of a holiday feeling. The general inclination was to even up old trades and not take on much new business. There was diversity of opinion over the government's coming report on condition with the bears expecting over 80 and the bulls expecting figures under that level.

Moderate support at the decline was sufficient to absorb offerings and put prices up a small net advance. At the best of the day trading months were 2 to 3 points over Saturday's close. Weather conditions ove rthe belt were generally considered favorable and held down the demand. The close was steady, one peint up to two points down net.

Closing bid: July 12.67; October 12.72; December 12.85; January 12.96; March 13.09.

Spot cotton steady, unchanged. Sales on the spot 685, to arrive 200 middling 12.62.

LOWER PRICES FOR WHEAT

Result of Breaking of the Drought in Kansas and Oklahoma—Corn Went Somewhat Higher.

Chicago, May 29. — Breaking of the drought in Kansas and Oklahoma resulted today in lower prices for wheat. The market closed unsettled, but ⅝ to 1¼@1⅝c. down, with July at 1.07⅞ and September at 1.08⅞@1.09. Corn gained ½c. to 1⅝c.; oats finished ¼ to 1c. off, and provisions at loses ranging from 7½ to 85c.

Close:

Wheat — July, 1.07⅞; September, 1.08⅞.

Corn—July, 69½; September, 69½.

Oats—July, 40½; September, 38½.

Pork—July, 21.75; September, 21.37.

Lard—July, 12.42; September, 12.55.

Ribs—July, 12.22; September, 12.32.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.08½; No. 3, red, 1.03@1.04; No. 2, hard, 1.07¼@1.08¼; No. 3, hard, 1.04½@1.05⅝.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 69⅛@70; No. 4, yellow, 67½@68; No. 4, white, 65@68½.

MARINE.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,288 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.) 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 29.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—38½c.

ROSIN—$4.00 and $3.80.

TAR—$1.90-9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 39½c.; rosin, $2.60; tar, $1.60-7½c.; crude turpentine, $2.50, $2.50, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine .. ..(—)

Rosin ... ...(—)

Tar 20

Crude Turpentine 2

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, 29 barrels; crude turpentine, 1 barrel.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—12¼c.; quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—431 bales; same day last year, 15 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 197,147 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 271,432 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 29th.

Atlantic Coast Line—431 bales cotton; 20 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—431 bales cotton; 20 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 28.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 50c per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 11c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 8@10c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 17c.; first class, 28c.

HIDES—Green salt, 13c. to 14c.; dry, flint, 17@20c per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 18c.; sides and shoulders, 14c. to 15c. per pound, good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 50c. to 55c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head. Geese, 55c to 60c per head. Ducks, 35c to 50c owing to quality. Turkeys, 18c per lb., alive.; 20c to 22c dressed.

EGGS—18c. and 19c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, May 28.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 80c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., May 28.—Spanish—Farmers' stock—Market stronger. Holders asking $7.05 per bushel.

Virginias—Farmers' stock—Market, steady. Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; Fancy hand picked, 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, May 29. — Steady, 10c. decline; bulk, 9.55@9.70; light, 9.10@9.70; mixed, 9.30@9.75; heavy, 9.20@9.80; rough, 9.20@9.35; pigs, 7.00@8.90.

Cattle — Strong. Native beef cattle, 8.20@10.90; stockers and feeders, 6.00@8.90; cows and heifers, 4.50@9.50; calves, 8.00@11.50.

Sheep—Weak. Wethers (shorn), 7.00@8.00; ewes (shorn), 5.00@7.50; lambs (shorn), 8.00@10.25; springs, 8.50@11.50.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, May 29. — Beeves—Barely steady. Steers, 7.75@10.40; bulls, 5.75@8.50; cows, 4.00@8.15.

Calves — Weak. Veals, 9.00@12.50; culls, 7.50@8.50; skim milk calves, 7.00@8.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Weak. Sheep, 5.00@8.50; yearlings, 7.00@9.00; lambs, 11.50@12.75.

Hogs—Lower, at 9.50@10.50; roughs, 8.50@8.75.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 29. — Primary markets were dull today, owing to the closing of large dry goods houses. Jobbers did a satisfactory trade. An embargo has been placed on shipments of wool from Australia. Raw silk was firmer.

STOCK MARKET STAGNANT

Excessively So, With an Irregular Mixture of Gains and Losses—Dealings Light.

New York, May 29.—Today's stock market was excessively stagnant with an irregular mixture of gains and losses the former predominating at the close. Dealings were light and contracted the output of the noon hour barely aggregating 20,000 shares, with a total of only 265,000 for the day.

Reading and Lehigh Valley, both at substantial advances over last week's final quotations, featured the rails, with belated strength in other coalers and some of the grain carriers. Great Northern preferred and Northern Pacific were only slightly and temporarily affected by the death of J. J. Hill, recovering with other representative stocks in the general covering movement of the final hour.

U. S. Steel and other standard shares were listless most of the time but rose briskly with various specialties at the end. The motors attracted some attention nwith further advances in Willys-Overland and Chandler Motors, the latter making a new maximum on its advance of 4 1-2 to 106 1-2. General Motors, however, declined 58 3-4 points to 462. Locomotives and War equipments were firm to strong, together with United States Industrial Alcohol, Continental Can and American Coal Products. Mexicans and the Metals were backward, with further selling of leading coppers. The Norfolk and Western road reported a net gain for April of $733,000, with $534,000 for Erie and $372,000 for Illinois Central.

Bonds were strong and active. Total sales, par value $3,430,000 United States bonds unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	26⅞
American Beet Sugar	74½
American Can	56⅛
American Car and Foundry	60¼
American Cotton Oil	52¼
American Locomotive	72⅝
American Smelting	98
American Sugar	112¼
American Tel and Tel	129½
American Tobacco	202½
Anaconda Copper	85
Atchison	105½
Atlantic Coast Line	112
Baldwin Locomotive	89⅜
Baltimore and Ohio	91⅝
Bethlehem Steel	454
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88
Canadian Pacific	178½
Central Leather	54½
Chesapeake and Ohio	63
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	98¼
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	20⅝
Consolidated Gas	137½
Continental Can	101⅞
Crucible Steel	84⅛
Erie	38⅝
General Electric	170½
Great Northern, pfd	121⅛
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	40
Illinois Central	103
Interborough Consol. Corp	16
Kansas City Southern	26
Lehigh Valley	83⅛
Louisville and Nashville	126
Liggett and Meyers	245¼
Lorillard Co	211
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	11
Missouri Pacific	6¼
Mexican Petroleum	109
National Lead	67
New York Central	106
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	61½
Norfolk and Western	127½
Northern Pacific	114
Pennsylvania	57⅜
Reading	102⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel	47
Seaboard Air Line	B. 16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	B. 38½
Sloss-Sheff. Steel and Iron	B. 54
Studebaker Corporation	139½
Southern Pacific	100¼
Southern Railway	22½
Southern Railway, pfd	B. 65½
Tennessee Copper	B. 44½
Texas Co	B. 192½
Texas and Pacific	12¼
Union Pacific	139⅝
United States Rubber	56
United States Steel	85½
United States Steel, pfd	117
Utah Copper	80⅝
Virginia-Caro. Chem	42⅜
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	52
Wabash, Pfd., "B" Ctfs	28⅝
Western Union	96¼
Westinghouse Electric	62
United Fruit	158¼
Kennecott Copper	54⅞

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, May 29. — Mercantile paper, 3¼; sterling sixty day bills, 4.72⅝; demand, 4.75 11-16; cables, 4.76 7-16; bar silver, 70⅝; Mexican dollars, 54⅜; government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, firm. Time loans, steady; sixty and ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3@3¼. Call money, firmer; ruling rate, 2½.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, May 29.—Buttar—Firmer. Cheese—Steady.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 9¾; Santos, No. 4, 10¾.

Sugar—Raw and refined, markets closed.

PRINTERS ORGANIZE.

Those of Goldsboro and Kinston Form a Local Union.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., May 29.—Through the efforts of Mr. D. I. Campbell, a representative of the International Typographical Union, of Indianapolis, Ind., Kinston and Goldsboro have combined and organized a printer's Typographical Union, known as the Goldsboro-Kinston Typographical Union No. 761, which held its first meeting in this city yesterday afternoon.

The following officers have been elected: President, B. W. Nash; vice president, Jos. E. Brown, of Goldsboro; secretary-treasurer, W. M. Beasley; sergeant-at-arms, Frank Kilpatrick, of Kinston.

Secretary-Treasurer W. M. Beasley was unanimously elected yesterday as ventiion to be held in Baltimore in Auventio nto be held in Baltimore in August.

The union has a charter membership of 18 members, with eight or ten applications on file, and at the beginning ranks as the fourth largest typographical union in the State.

A resolution was adopted to extend an invitation to the printers in Newbern, Mount Olive and several other towns in Eastern Carolina, to join the union.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

May 30, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 77 degrees; at 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 85 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.90 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 5.1 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Thunder showers Tuesday. Wednesday partly cloudy.

The Port Calendar, May 30, 1916.

Sun rises ... ... .5:02 A. M.
Sun sets ... ...7:17 P. M.
Day's length .. .. .14 hrs. 15 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	3:40	9:07	3:50	3:54
Southport	6:45	7:16	1:54	12:47
Masonboro Inl	6:34	7:05	1:34	12:27

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

May 29, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	clear	94	70	.0
Asheville	cldy	76	54	.16
Atlanta	clear	88	68	.02
Augusta	clear	92	70	.0
Baltimore	cldy	82	—	.02
Birmingh	clear	86	70	.01
Boston	cldy	72	56	.04
Charleston	clear	86	74	.0
Charlotte	cldy	86	68	.0
Chicago	cldy	68	62	.46
Galveston	clear	82	76	.0
Jacksonv.	pt cldy	88	70	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	90	72	.0
Mobile	clear	84	74	.0
Montgom'y	pt cldy	90	72	.0
New Orl.	cldy	92	76	.0
New York	cldy	78	64	.16
Oklahoma	clear	88	70	.0
Palestine	clear	88	70	.0
Pittsburg	cldy	74	62	.0
Raleigh	cldy	86	66	.40
Savannah	clear	88	74	.0
Shreveport	clear	90	70	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	80	64	.36
Washing'n	rain	84	64	.40

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Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 12 day of May, 1916, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by more than two-thirds in interest of the stockholders thereof, which said certificate and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office, as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 12 day of May, A. D. 1916.

J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

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EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of H. G. Smallbones, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said testator to present the same to me on or before the 2nd day of May, 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Dated this May 1st, 1916.

ELIZABETH H. SMALLBONES,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of H. G. Smallbones, deceased.

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a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:36 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
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6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	8:01 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
a8:00 A. M.	a8:00 A. M.	....*	a8:41 A. M.	a8:30 A. M.	.....
8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	8:30 A. M.	9:36 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
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10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	10:00 A. M.	11:06 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:26 P. M.	12:16 P. M.
b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	b1:00 P. M.	b2:06 P. M.	b1:55 P. M.	b1:45 P. M.
a1:10 P. M.	a1:10 P. M.	a*1:10 P. M.	2:01 P. M.	1:50 P. M.	e1:45 P. M.
2:00 P. M.	2:00 P. M.	2:00 P. M.	3:06 P. M.	2:55 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
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IS ENFORCING INCOME TAX LAW WITH VIGOR

But McAdoo Declares Office and Field Force Inadequate.

Secretary of the Treasury Replies to Keating Resolution Regarding Alleged Frauds and Evasions—Gives Figures.

Washington, May 29.—Secretary McAdoo today informed Chairman Lobeck, of the House committee on expenditures in the Treasury Department, that the department is enforcing the income tax law "with all the vigor which the small force authorized by Congress will permit," but that an adequate office and field force for the investigation of returns must be provided if the government is to get all it is entitled to under the law.

Mr. McAdoo's letter, which replies to the Keating resolution regarding alleged income tax frauds and evasions, expressed regret that Congress authorized only half of the one million dollar increase asked for to provide an adequate method of collecting the income tax, and says it is hoped that the remainder may yet be granted. It denies a report that the government is losing $320,000,000 annually by income tax frauds, explaining that this estimate was based on the assumption that the annual national income is $46,000,000,000. The government actuary, Mr. McAdoo says, estimates the gross national income at $20,000,000,000 and the net income at $15,000,000,000 or about $750 per family and the total wealth of the country at about $265,000 000,000 of which only $60,000,000,000 is earning income.

HILL'S FUNERAL TO BE PRIVATE AFFAIR

(Continued from Page One.)

cilities that would nearly girdle the earth.

That but roughly spans the story of his achievement.

Near Guelph, in Ontario, where James (Jerome) Hill was born in 1838, the son of an Irish-Canadian farmer who died when the boy was 15 ,there stands a tree stump labeled: "The last tree chopped by James J. Hill."

It marked the lad's resolution to go to the United States. He had been prompted by an odd incident. According to the story that is told, a strange traveler had stopped at the Hill farm to take dinner, and left his horse at the gate. Young Hill saw the animal was tired and he carried it a pail of water. The stranger was pleased with the lad's thoughtfulness, and as he drove off he tossed him a newspaper from the United States, and called out gravely:

"Go there, young man. That country needs youngsters of your spirit.' Hill read the paper carefully. It contained glowing accounts of opportunities in the States. He resolved to investigate for himself. It was the next morning that he chopped his last tree.

As a mere roustabout lad of 18, he toured from Maine to Minnesota. When in 1856, he disembarked from a Mississippi river packet at St. Paul that place was a frontier town of 5,000 inhabitants. At the sign of W. J. Bass & Co., agents for the Dubuque & St. Paul Packet Company, he found a job as both stevedore and clerk.

In the 15 years that followed he seized every opportunity to study the whole problem of river transportation. He gathered no end of experience and a little capital with which he launched his own firm of Hill, Griss & Co. which promptly displayed its initrative by bringing the first load of coal that had ever been seen in that section into St. Paul. Two years later, with a flatbottomed steamer he established the first regular communication with St. Paul and the Manitoba ports of the fertile Red River Valley.

At about that time St. Paul was having its first experiment in railroad building. Eighty miles had been laid to St. Cloud, 316 miles to Breckenridge, both of which terminals were at the southern end of the Red River Valley, and there were about 100 miles of track "which began nowhere and ended in that same indefinite spot." This venture ran up a debt of $33,000,000 and collapsed, with its only assets being a "few streaks of rust and right of way."

Hill had had sufficient success in the region to be seized with a consuming desire to purchase the defunct property. After five years of financial dickering, including the sale of all his other interests, which netted a fortune of $100,000, he and a syndicate of three others—Sir Donald A. Smith, George Stephen, and Norman W. Kittson—obtained the object of his desire.

The St. Paul, Minnesota and Manitoba railway was formed to operate the property with Hill as general manager. When in 1883 Mr. Hill was elected president he undertook the extension of the road from its Dakota and Minnesota homestead to the Pacific ocean. He was confronted by three great competitors to the South, each of which had received big bonuses as government aid, whereas the "Manitoba" or the Great Northern, as it came to be known, did not have a dollar of government subsidy or an acre of grant to forward its progress from the Minnesota boundary to the sea.

In this light, Hill's plan was widely deemed pure folly, but he pressed it to conclusion by building and populating as he built. For several years he laid rails westward at the rate of a mile a day, and at a cost of $30,000 a mile, and as he went he left a trail of embryonic farms by the railside.

Turns Empire Builder.

With the line to Puget Sound once laid, he turned Empire Builder. He introduced the live stock industry into vast areas of bunch-grass plains, and developed them by importing blooded stock; he sent demonstration trains through the country with men who showed the people how t oraise more wheat to the acre; he made an outlet for the grain by establishing a cheap rate by rail and steamship to Buffalo where he built great elevators; in fact for upwards of 20 years he left nothing in his power undone to develop the country where he had staked out his claim as the great common carrier.

But at the Pacific tidewater he was not satisfied for he saw in the Orient still further opportunities. He organized a fleet of Pacific steamships for the commercial invasion of Japan and China. Japan at the time wanted steel rails, but proposed getting them from England, as the rates were less. It is related that when John W. Gates, the steel magnate of Chicago, came to Hill with the proposition of getting American rails to Japan, the latter replied:

"I will make you a rate of $8 a ton from Chicago or Pittsburgh to Yokohama. If that is too much, I will carry it for the axle grease used on the locomotives and freight cars; and if you can't stand that, I will carry your freight for nothing."

At the $8 rate named, the American manufacturer was enabled to secure the Japanese contract.

The same tactics were adopted in getting American wheat and flour into Japan and China, where rice was the staple food.

His faith in the Far East was awarded as liberally as that in the Northwest. It is estimated that the Pacific fleet now carries nearly $50,000,000 worth of products to the Orient every year.

While Mr. Hill built up for himself and his associates an immense fortune, he also helped to create for the settlers along his lines a wealth of over five billion dollars in real property, which is represented by the value of the 400,000 farms and their 65,000,000 acres of improved land.

Upon his retirement at 69, the "streak of rust" he had bought 30 years before, had expanded to more than 6,000 miles and it was earning gross profits of more than $66,000,000 a year, and carrying 15,000,000 tons of freight annually. He still retained a hand in the Great Northern's policy as chairman of the board of directors, while his son Louis, who had worked up from the humblest position of his father's railroad became president.

The secret of the Hill success was no secret at all, according to Mr. Hill, and he had no recipes to offer. "The man with the big opportunity today," he said, "is the man in the ranks." But the secret of failure he frequently declared to be extravagance. He regarded this as a national tendency, against which he strongly set himself, particularly as concerned the natural resources.

HIS HEAD AND SHOULDERS COULD BE SEEN—TRUMBULL.

New York, May 29.—Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board of directors of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, commenting today on the death of J. J. Hill, said:

"Among the 100,000,000 people in the United States there are few whose heads and shoulders can be seen. Mr. Hill was one of that number."

COTTON MILL MEN WILL MEET AT BEACH IN JUNE

More Than 250 Manufacturers to Attend Sessions at Wrightsville.

More than 250 members of the Association of Cotton Manufacturers of North Carolina will attend the meeting of the association, which will be held at Wrightsville Beach July 21 to 23, inclusive. That the association's meeting was secured for Wrightsville Beach was largely due to the efforts of the local Rotary Club.

Mr. T. R. Ames, chairman of the local committee, which had the matter in charge, stated yesterday that he had received a letter from Mr. W. C. Ruffin, chairman of the convention committee, in which it was announced that the manufacturers had decided to come to Wrightsville. Mr. Hudson C. Miller, of Charlotte, secretary of the association, will come here next week to arrange for accommodations for the delegates.

TO NAME A. & M. HEAD TODAY.

Senator Cooper Will Attend Meeting of Board of Trustees.

Senator W. B. Cooper, of this city, left last night for Raleigh in order to attend a meeting of the board of trustees of the College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts at West Raleigh, which will today choose a successor to Dr. D. H. Hill who resigned some time ago.

The choosing of a president of A. & M. College is always an important event in North Carolina, and people all over the State will be deeply interested in the election which will be held today. It is understood that the board of trustees has under consideration educators of standing from other states, but the friends of several prominent Tar Heels are making a vigorous campaign to have their candidates, or at least a North Carolinian, chosen to head the State institution.

ASSISTANT RECTOR APPOINTED

Rev. George Frank Hill is Named by Bishop Thomas C. Darst.

Bishop Thomas C. Darst announced last night that in accordance with the request of the rector and vestry of St. James Church, he has appointed Rev. George Frank Hill, who will graduate in June from the Episcopal Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Va., as assistant rector for one year at St. James. The vestry of St. James' church voted to call Mr. Hill as assistant rector shortly after Christmas.

Bishop Darst stated that he expects Mr. Hill to reach here within about two week's time or just as soon as commencement exercises at the seminary are concluded. Mr. Hill is not a stranger in Wilmington, having spent some time here pursuing his theological studies under the direction of Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton. He is a native of Washington, N. C.

TABERNACLE IS CLOSED.

And Will be Razed Soon Unless It is Taken Over by Public.

The executive committee of the Chapman-Alexander campaign has had the Tabernacle closed and the doors nailed. Whether the building will be torn down and the lumber sold or preserved as a public auditorium, depends upon whether the debt on the building, about $1,200, can be raised by public subscription or otherwise.

Unless some definite step is taken to raise this money in the near future, the executive committee has announced that it will have the building torn down and the lumber sold to repay the gentlemen who underwrote the revival campaign.

SPECIAL RATES TO BEACH.

Georgia Railroad Makes Attractive Round Trip Fares for Visitors.

The Georgia Railroad is advertising extensively its very attractive round trip rates from Atlanta to Wrightsville Beach for summer excursionists. Tickets are now on sale each Saturday in Atlanta for $10.50, with final return limit on the second Saturday following date of sale, giving the purchaser a full ten days at the resort. Tickets are on sale daily, with final return limit on October 1st, for $18.55. There is an all-year-round sleeping car service maintained by this railroad in conjunction with the Atlantic Coast Line.

Statham, Ga., May 29.—Four persons, including two women and a child, were killed and two others seriously injured in a collision between a Seaboard Air Line passenger train and an automobile at a grade crossing two miles south of here late today. All the dead and injured were in the automobile.

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INTEREST OF HON. W. T. LEE.

Col. A. J. Maxwell, of Raleigh, Here for Brief Visit—Whiteville.

Arriving in the city last evening from Goldsboro was Col. A. J. Maxwell, of Raleigh, secretary to the North Carolina Corporation Commission, who is visiting a few points in this section of the state in the interest of the candidacy of Hon. W. T. Lee, of Waynesville, the only member of the commission to come up for renomination at the primaries to be held Saturday. Mr. Lee is serving his first term and is now merely asking renomination to the usual second term.

Col. Maxwell speaks most optimistically of the outlook for the success of Mr. Lee in the primary, expressing the view confidently that his candidate will carry every county in the state. He is the only man on the commission to have opposition at this time, and he is standing squarely on his record as a member of the commission during his first term.

Col. Maxwell goes this morning to Whiteville, where he will spend the day, returning to Raleigh tonight.

COMMENCEMENT AT DAVIDSON COLLEGE BEGAN YESTERDAY

Many Wilmingtonians Are Expected to Attend—Dr. McClure Preached.

It is expected n umaber of former students of Davidson College will attend the commencement exercises at the institution which began yesterday morning and continue through Wednesday. Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, delivered the annual sermon at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday night. Dr. M. E. Sentelle, of Davidson, preached the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning.

Yesterday's programme included a gymnasium exhibition and a musical entertainment, and today there will be an oratorical contest between the two literary societies, which will be followed this evening by the Alumni reception. On Wednesday the graduating exercises will be held, including the conferring of degrees and senior celebration.

MARRIAGE OF ATLANTA MAN OF INTEREST IN WILMINGTON.

The marriage of Mr. John William Yopp, of Atlanta, Ga., to Miss Beatrice Lambdin, of Savannah, Ga., in Washington, D. C., last week is of interest in Wilmington as the groom has a number of relatives living i nthis city. Mr. Yopp is editor of the "Southern Banker."

The wedding took place in Calvary Methodist church in Washington, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. James S. Montgomery. There were many prominent Georgians present, including Senator and Mrs. Hoke Smith, Senator and Mrs. Hardwick and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harris.

The bride is the daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. B. Lambdin, of Savannah. The wedding was a surprise, the date having been set for the latter part of June in Savannah. Miss Lambdin and her mother were here on a visit and Mr. Yopp joined them. The date was advanced so that Mr. Yopp could take his bride on a Western trip he was contemplating.

Observe National Memorial Day.

National Memorial Day, which is widely observed in the North, will be observed here by the colored people, who will make their annual parade to National cemetery today, and conduct memorial services. Holiday hours will be observed at the postoffice. The stamp window will be closed except from 10 to 11 A. M. and from 4 to 6 P. M. The general delivery window will be open only from 11 A. M. to 12 M., and from 6 to 8 P. M. The registry window will be open from 10 to 11 A. M. and from 5 to 6 P. M. Only one collection will be made by the carriers.

Cargo of Cement Arrives.

The tug Virginian, Captain Snider in charge, arrived in the port of Wilmington yesterday from Jersey City, towing the barge Niagara with a cargo of cement, which is being discharged at the Seaboard terminals. The vessel is consigned to C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Baeball This Afternoon.

At the colored baseball grounds, 13th and Ann streets, this afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be a baseball game between the "Railroad Blue Stockings" and the "Dry Pond All Stars."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were: J. T. John, Johns; S. Bannerford, Hamlet; V. J. McDaniel, Charlotte; J. F. Bussells, Southport; J. F. Harty, Raleigh; H. L. Jones, Kelly; Clyde C. Miller, Chapel Hill; E. J. Hill, Warsaw; J. J. Heckworth, Aberdeen; C. H. Polley, Hallsboro; B. R. King, Goldsboro; W. F. Hollingsworth, Kenansville, and J. M. Barr, Charlotte.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington last night were: J. C. Robinson, Warsaw; O. L. Short, Newbern; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lucas, Councils; Dr. J. Henry Highsmith, Wake Forest; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cottle, Willard; J. G. Russell, Charlotte; B. H. Tyson, Wilson; D. Tucker Brown, Chapel Hill; T. L. Bland and V. M. Cloud, Raleigh; J. R. Hutchinson, Jacksonville; C. D. Slocumb and O. J. C. Dial, Goldsboro; E. M. Nance, Fair Bluff; Dr. R. M. Von Miller, Four Oaks; S. T. Dudley, Newbern.

REVIVAL AT WADESBORO.

To be Held in Presbyterian Church Last Ten Days of June.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N .C., May 29—Announcement was made yesterday by Rev. A. R. Woodson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, that a revival would be held in that church the last ten days of June. The pastor will be assisted by Rev. Dr. J. O. Revis, of Columbia Seminary and an experienced man to lead the singing. Dr. Revis, before hi sconnection with the seminary, was pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Columbia and is a speaker of renoun. The people of Wadesboro have in store a season of spiritual refreshing and the congregation of the Presbyterian church here will begin immediately preparations for the meetings.

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AUTO RIDE TO BE GIVEN BY "THE-bars" of Grace church on Thursday evening. Place: Grace church; Time: 8 o'clock. Around the loop; fare, 25 cents. my30-tu,th-2t

WANTED — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. Couple with one child. State location and price. "S. A. C.," care Star. my30-1t

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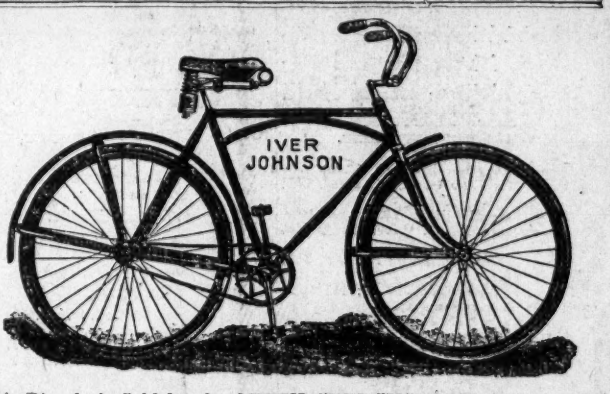

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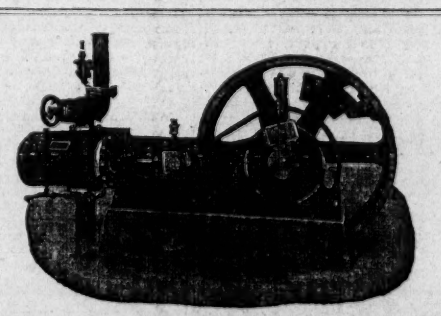

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